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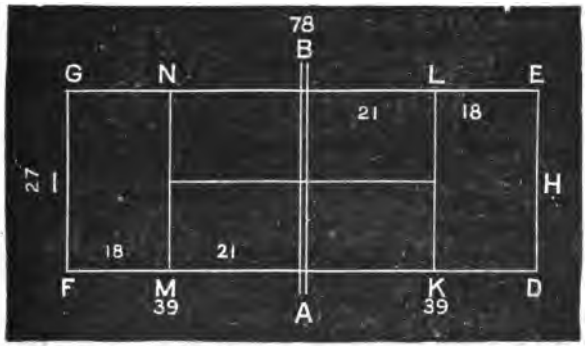
LAWS OF LAWN TENNIS.

THE COURT.

1. **The Court** is 78 feet long and 27 feet wide. It is divided across the middle by a net, the ends of which are attached to two posts, **A** and **B**, standing 3 feet outside of the court on either side. The height of the net is 3 feet 6 incnes at the posts, and 3 feet in the middle. At each end



of the court, parallel with the net, and 39 feet from it, are drawn the base lines **D E** and **F G**, the ends of which are connected by the side lines **D F** and **E G**. Halfway between the side lines, and parallel with them, is drawn the half court line **I H**, dividing the space on each side of the net into two equal parts, the right and left courts. On each side of the net, at a distance of 21 feet from it, and parallel with it, are drawn the service lines **K L** and **M N**.

See back pages of Guide for diagram of single and double court.

THE BALLS.

2. **The Balls** shall measure not less than 2½ inches, nor more than 2 9-16 inches in diameter; and shall weigh not less than 1 15-16 ounces, nor more than 2 ounces.

THE GAME.

3. The choice of sides, and the right to serve in the first game, shall be decided by toss; provided that, if the winner of the toss choose the right to serve, the other player shall have choice of sides, and vice versa, or the winner of the toss may insist upon a choice by his opponent. If one player choose the court, the other may elect not to serve.

4. The players shall stand on opposite sides of the net; the player who first delivers the ball shall be called the server, and the other the striker-out.

5. At the end of the first game the striker-out shall become server, and the server shall become striker-out; and so on alternately in all the subsequent games of the set and following sets.

6. The server shall serve with both feet behind, i. e., further from the net than the base line and within the limits of the imaginary continuation of the centre service and the side lines. It is not a fault if one only of the server's feet do not touch the ground at the moment at which the service is delivered. He shall place both feet upon the ground immediately before serving and shall not take a running nor a walking start. He shall deliver the service from the right and left courts alternately, beginning from the right, in each of his service games even though odds be given or owed.

7. The ball served must drop between the service line, half-court line, and side line of the court, diagonally opposite to that from which it was served.

8. It is a **Fault** if the ball served drop in the net, or beyond the service line, or out of court, or in the wrong court; or if the server do not stand as directed by law 6. If the server, in attempting to serve, miss the ball altogether, it does *not* count *a fault*, but if the ball be touched, no matter how slightly, by the racket, a service is thereby delivered, and the laws governing the service at once apply.

9. A fault cannot be taken.

10. After a fault the server shall serve again from the same court from which he served that fault, unless it was a fault because he served from the wrong court.

11. A fault cannot be claimed after the next service is delivered.

12. The server shall not serve till the striker-out is ready. If the latter attempt to return the service, he shall be deemed ready.

13. A service or fault delivered when the striker-out is not ready counts for nothing.

14. The service shall not be volleyed, that is, taken, before it has touched the ground.

15. A ball is in play on leaving the server's racket, except as provided for in law 8, and remains in play till the stroke is decided.

16. It is a good return, although the ball touch the net; but a service, otherwise good, which touches the net shall count for nothing.

17. The server wins a stroke if the striker-out volley the service, or if he fail to return the service or the ball in play; or if he return the service or the ball in play so that it drops outside of his opponent's court; or if he otherwise lose a stroke, as provided by law 20.

18. The striker-out wins a stroke if the server serve two consecutive faults; or if he fail to return the ball in play; or if he return the ball in play so that it drops outside of his opponent's court; or if he otherwise lose a stroke as provided by law 20.

19. A ball falling on a line is regarded as falling in the court bounded by that line.

20. Either player loses a stroke if the ball touch him, or anything that he wears or carries, except his racket in the act of striking; or if he touch the ball with his racket more than once; or if he touch the net or any of its supports while the ball is in play; or if he volley the ball before it has passed the net.

21. In case a player is obstructed by any accident, not within his control, the ball shall be considered a "let." But when a permanent fixture of the court is the cause of the accident, the point shall be counted. The benches and chairs placed around the court shall be considered permanent fixtures. If, however, a ball in play strike a permanent fixture of the court (other than the net or posts) before it touches the ground, the point is lost; if after it has touched the ground, the point shall be counted.

22. On either player winning his first stroke, the score is called 15 for that player; on either player winning his second stroke, the score is called 30 for that player; on either player winning his third stroke, the score is called 40 for that player; and the fourth stroke won by either player is scored game for that player, except as below. If both players have won three strokes, the score is called *deuce;* and the next stroke won by either player is scored *advantage* for that player. If the same player win the next stroke, he wins the game; if he lose the next stroke the score returns to deuce, and so on until one player wins the two strokes immediately following the score of deuce, when game is scored for that player.

23. The player who first wins six games wins the set; except as below: If both players win five games the score is called *games all;* and the next game won by either player is

scored *advantage game* for that player. If the same player win the next game, he wins the set; if he lose the next game, the score returns to games all; and so on, until either player wins the two games immediately following the score of games all, when he wins the set. But the committee having charge of any tournament may in their discretion modify this rule by the omission of advantage sets.

24. The players shall change sides at the end of the first, third and every subsequent alternate game of each set and at the end of each set, unless the number of games in such set be even. It shall, however, be open to the players by mutual consent and notification to the umpire before the opening of the second game of the match to change sides instead at the end of every set until the odd and concluding set, in which they shall change sides at the end of the first, third and every subsequent alternate game of such set.

* 25. In all contests the play shall be continuous from the first service till the match be concluded; provided, however, that at the end of the third set either player is entitled to a rest, which shall not exceed seven minutes; and provided, further, that in case of an unavoidable accident, not within the control of the contestants, a cessation of play which shall not exceed two minutes may be allowed between points; but this proviso shall be strictly construed, and the privilege never granted for the purpose of allowing a player to recover his strength or wind. The referee in his discretion may at any time postpone the match on account of darkness or condition of the ground or weather. In any case of postponement, the previous score shall hold good. Where the play has ceased for more than an hour, the player who at the cessation thereof

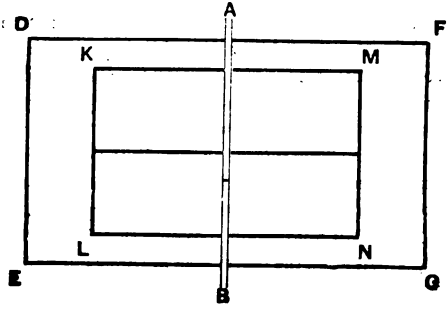
*All matches in which women take part in tournaments held under the auspices of the United States National Lawn Tennis Association shall be the best two in three sets, with a rest not exceeding seven minutes after the second set.

was in the court first chosen shall have the choice of courts on the recommencement of play. He shall stay in the court he chooses for the remainder of the set. The last two sentences of this rule do not apply when the players change every alternate game as provided by law 24.

26. If a player serve out of his turn, the umpire, as soon as the mistake is discovered, shall direct the player to serve who ought to have served. But all strokes scored before such discovery shall be counted. If a game shall have been completed before such discovery, then the service in the next alternate game shall be delivered by the player who did not serve out of his turn, and so on in regular rotation.

27. The above laws shall apply to the three-handed and four-handed games, except as below:—

THE THREE-HANDED AND FOUR-HANDED GAMES.



28. For the three-handed and four-handed games the court shall be 36 feet in width; 4½ feet inside the side lines, and parallel with them, are drawn the service side lines K M and L N. The service lines are not drawn beyond the point at which they meet the service side lines, as shown in the diagram.

29. In the three-handed game, the single player shall serve in every alternate game.

30. In the four-handed game, the pair who have the right to serve in the first game shall decide which partner shall do so; and the opposing pair shall decide in like manner for the second game. The partner of the player who served in the first game shall serve in the third, and the partner of the player who served in the second game shall serve in the fourth, and the same order shall be maintained in all the subsequent games of the set.

31. At the beginning of the next set, either partner of the pair which struck out in the last game of the last set may serve; and the same privilege is given to their opponents in second game of the new set.

32. The players shall take the service alternately throughout the game; a player cannot receive a service delivered to his partner; and the order of service and striking out once established shall not be altered, nor shall the striker-out change courts to receive the service, till the end of the set.

33. It is a fault if the ball served do not drop between the service line, half-court line, and service side line of the court, diagonally opposite to that from which it was served.

34. It is a fault if the ball served do not drop as provided in law 35, or if it touch the server's partner or anything he wears or carries.

ODDS.

THE SIXTHS SYSTEM OF HANDICAPPING.

In the case of received odds:

(*a*) One-sixth of fifteen is one stroke given in every six games of a set in the position shown by the annexed table.

(*b*) Similarly, two-sixths, three-sixths, four-sixths and five-sixths of fifteen are respectively two, three, four and five strokes given in every six games of a set in the position shown by the table.

	1st Game.	2d Game.	3d Game.	4th Game.	5th Game.	6th Game.
$\frac{1}{6}$ of 15	0	15	0	0	0	0
$\frac{2}{6}$ of 15	0	15	0	15	0	0
$\frac{3}{6}$ of 15	0	15	0	15	0	15
$\frac{4}{6}$ of 15	0	15	0	15	15	15
$\frac{5}{6}$ of 15	0	15	15	15	15	15

In the case of owed odds:

(*a*) One-sixth of fifteen is one stroke owed in every six games of a set in the position shown by the annexed table.

(*b*) Similarly, two-sixths, three-sixths, four-sixths, and five-sixths of fifteen are respectively two, three, four and five strokes owed in every six games of a set in the position shown by the following table:

	1st Game.	2d Game.	3d Game.	4th Game.	5th Game.	6th Game.
$\frac{1}{6}$ of 15	15	0	0	0	0	0
$\frac{2}{6}$ of 15	15	0	15	0	0	0
$\frac{3}{6}$ of 15	15	0	15	0	15	0
$\frac{4}{6}$ of 15	15	0	15	0	15	15
$\frac{5}{6}$ of 15	15	0	15	15	15	15

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CONSTITUTION.

ARTICLE I.

NAME.

This organization shall be known as the "United States National Lawn Tennis Association."

ARTICLE II.

MEMBERS.

SECTION 1. There shall be two classes of members:—

1. Clubs.
2. Associations of Clubs.

SECT. 2. An association of clubs shall consist of five or more individual clubs, any one of which may, or may not, be itself a member of the National Association. But no club shall otherwise be a member of more than one association.

SECT. 3. Every such association shall represent either a stated section of the country, or a stated number of schools and colleges, and in each case its stated limits shall necessarily exclude to that extent the stated limits of every other association.

SECT. 4. *Propositions for Membership.*— Propositions for membership must be made in writing to the Executive Committee, hereinafter provided for, with the name

and address of the applicant, and signed by the Secretary of the club or association making the proposal. Where the applicant is an association, the names and addresses of each of its members shall be given with the application, together with a statement of the limits that it desires to represent; and thereafter such association, if elected, shall notify the Secretary of the National Association of any changes in its membership immediately upon occurrence.

SECT. 5. The Executive Committee shall have full power to pass upon candidates for membership without a general election, except that no association shall be deemed a member whose limits shall conflict with those of other associations until its admittance be confirmed by a two-thirds' vote at the annual meeting of the National Association, or by the consent of the associations upon whose limits it encroaches. The admittance to membership of such an association necessarily decreases the limits of other associations to such an extent as shall preclude a conflict of limits.

SECT. 6. *Dues, etc.*— The annual dues to this Association, in the case of clubs, shall be seven dollars ($7), and, in the case of associations of clubs, shall be twenty-five dollars ($25), except that, where any association is composed of more than ten clubs, its annual dues shall, in addition, be ten dollars ($10) for every five clubs or fraction thereof members of it so additional. No club or association shall be allowed the privileges of a member until its first annual dues have been paid. All dues for the ensuing year shall be payable at the annual meeting.

SECT. 7. *Limits of Payments, etc.* — Any club or association which shall fail to have paid its annual dues at the expiration of one month after the annual meeting may be debarred from the privileges of a member by the Executive Committee, and, at their discretion, may be dropped from the roll.

SECT. 8. *Resignations, etc.* — Any member wishing to resign must do so in writing, addressed to the Secretary; and the resignation cannot be accepted until all dues are paid.

ARTICLE III.

EXPULSIONS, ETC.

The Executive Committee of this Association, hereinafter provided for, shall have the power to suspend or expel any member which may neglect or refuse a strict and honorable compliance with this Constitution, By-Laws, etc., or which shall, by scandalous conduct, bring reproach or disgrace upon the Association; or which shall, being itself an association, retain as one of its members any club objected to by notice in writing by the Executive Committee, subject to a right of the said member to appeal to the Association, at its next annual meeting, for reinstatement.

ARTICLE IV.

OFFICERS.

SECTION 1. The officers of this Association shall consist of a President, Vice-President, Secretary, Treasurer.

and an Executive Committee of thirteen members, including the President, the Vice-President, the Secretary, and the Treasurer, who shall be *ex-officio* members of the Committee. No person can be an officer who is not an active member of a club belonging either directly to this Association, or indirectly, as specified in Art. II., Sect. 2.

SECT. 2. *Time and Mode of Election.*— The election of officers shall be by ballot or roll call at the annual meeting in each year. They shall be voted for separately, and receive a majority of all votes cast to entitle them to an election; and they shall continue in office for one year, or until their successors shall be elected.

SECT. 3. *Vacancies.*— In case a vacancy should occur in any of the offices, the Executive Committee shall elect a member to fill the vacancy for the unexpired term.

SECT. 4. *Duties of the President.* — It shall be the duty of the President to preside at all meetings, to preserve order, to appoint all committees not otherwise provided for, and to see that the officers and committees perform their respective duties.

SECT. 5. *The Vice-President.* — The Vice-President shall assist the President in the performance of his duties, and shall exercise all the powers of the President in his absence.

SECT. 6. *The Secretary.* — The Secretary shall keep a roll of all the members, and from time to time amend and correct the same as circumstances may require. He shall notify new members of their election within two

weeks thereafter, and shall give notice of all meetings at least two weeks in advance. He shall conduct all the correspondence of the Association, and keep copies of all letters in a book provided for that purpose. He shall keep the minutes of the proceedings of the Association, and a record of such matters of interest as may occur.

SECT. 7. *The Treasurer.*— The Treasurer shall keep, in a suitable book provided for that purpose, an account of all moneys received and paid. He shall liquidate all bills against the Association, and shall report in writing the state of the finances when required; and, at the annual meeting, he shall present a written report showing all the receipts and expenditures for the year.

SECT. 8. *Executive Committee, etc.*— It shall be the duty of the Executive Committee to see that the general provisions of the Constitution and By-Laws of this Association are complied with by members of the same; to hear and decide all questions submitted by members for decision, notice of hearing being given to any other member which may be affected by the question; to construe and enforce all the rules of the Association. All decisions of the Executive Committee shall be complied with forthwith; but an appeal therefrom may be taken by any member of the Association at its next annual meeting. The Executive Committee and the Secretary shall cause official notices, and such other matters of information as they shall deem of interest, to be published in a paper to be appointed annually by the Executive Committee the official bulletin of the Association. All members are to be given notice

of said appointment, and thereafter are expected to take notice of official publications therein. The Executive Committee shall have the arrangement and management of any general tournament between the members of this Association.

Each member of the Executive Committee must represent a club of which he is an active member, said club belonging either directly to this Association, or indirectly as specified in Art. II., Sect. 2, and being, also, either a different club, or, if a member of an association, then a club of a different association from any club represented by any other member of the Committee. A majority shall constitute a quorum.

ARTICLE V.

MEETINGS, ETC.

SECTION 1. There shall be a stated annual meeting held, on a date to be fixed by the President, between the 1st and 15th of February in each year, at a place to be designated at the previous annual meeting, or by the President in the absence of other designation.

SECT. 2. *Proxies, etc.*— Members may be represented at meetings by delegates or proxies.

SECT. 3. *Special Meetings, etc.* — Special meetings may be called by the Executive Committee at any time, and shall be called by the Executive Committee at the request of any five members of the Association.

SECT. 4. At all meetings of the Association the representatives of eleven members shall constitute a quorum.

SECT. 5. Each member of the Association shall, at all meetings, be entitled to one vote if it be a member

in Class 1, and it shall be entitled to two votes, and to one additional vote for every five clubs or fraction thereof members of it over ten if it be a member in Class 2, the vote or votes to be cast by its delegates or proxies.

Each delegate or proxy must be an active member of a club belonging either directly to this Association, or indirectly as specified in Art. II., Sect. 2, and present written credentials properly certified by the member he represents.

ARTICLE VI.

AMENDMENTS, ETC.

Amendments to this Constitution may be made at any annual meeting by a vote of at least two-thirds of all the votes cast. By-Laws may be amended at any annual or special meeting under the same provisions.

BY-LAWS.

ARTICLE I.

ORDER OF BUSINESS, ETC.

SECTION 1. The order of business for this Association shall be as follows: —

1. Roll Call.
2. Reading of Minutes.
3. Secretary's Report.
4. Collection of Dues.
5. Treasurer's Report.
6. Reports of Committees.
7. Elections.
8. Miscellaneous Business.
9. Adjournment.

SECT. 2. *Time of Electing Officers, etc.* — The election of officers at the annual meeting shall take place immediately after the reading of the reports of the various officers and committees.

The officers elected shall immediately enter upon the discharge of their respective duties, and be entitled to the possession of all books, papers, moneys, and other property belonging to the Association pertaining to their respective offices, and in the possession of their predecessors.

SECT. 3. *Authority for Rules of Order.* — For the "Rules of Order," and any and all parliamentary rules not herein mentioned, those laid down in "Cushing's Manual" shall be authority.

ARTICLE II.

LAWS OF LAWN TENNIS.

SECTION 1. All clubs represented in this Association shall be governed by the laws of Lawn Tennis as laid down by this Association.

SECT. 2. *Laws of Matches, etc.*—All matches played by clubs represented in this Association shall be played under all the rules adopted by it.

SECT. 3. None but amateurs shall be allowed to enter for any match or matches played under the auspices of this Association.

SECT. 4. An amateur is one who has never violated any of the following conditions:—

1. He has never entered a competition open to professionals, nor played for a stake, public or admission money, or entrance fee.

2. He has not competed with or against a professional for a prize.

3. He has not played, instructed, pursued, or assisted in the pursuit of tennis or other athletic exercise as a means of livelihood, or for gain or any emolument.

4. His membership in any tennis or athletic club of any kind was not brought about, or does not continue, because of any mutual understanding, expressed or implied, whereby his continuing a member of any such club would be of any pecuniary benefit to him or his club.

5. If connected with any sporting-goods house, such connection was not brought about or does not

continue because of his proficiency in tennis or any other form of athletic exercise.

The Executive Committee of the Association shall be the tribunal to decide whether a player is a professional or an amateur.

SECT. 5. No player shall be allowed to enter for any match given by this Association unless he is an active member in a club belonging either directly to this Association, or indirectly as specified in article II, section 2, of the Constitution. But the Executive Committee is empowered, at their discretion, to invite any foreigners to enter for any match given by this Association.

ARTICLE III.

SUSPENSION OF BY-LAWS.

Any article or section of these By-laws may be suspended for any one meeting by a two-thirds vote of all cast.

REGULATIONS

FOR THE

MANAGEMENT

OF

LAWN-TENNIS TOURNAMENTS.

1.—At Tournaments held by Clubs belonging to the United States National Lawn Tennis Association or by Clubs belonging to Associations which belong to the National Association or by Associations belonging to said National Association, the Laws of Lawn-Tennis as adopted for the time being by said National Association and the Regulations hereinafter contained shall be observed.

2.—The Officers of the Club holding the Tournament shall have full power over all details concerning said Tournament, but shall be entitled to delegate their power to a Committee. In case no special Committee shall be appointed by the Officers of the Club holding the Tournament, the powers and functions hereinafter delegated to the Committee shall be vested in and performed by the Officers of said Club.

3.—A circular shall be issued by the Committee specifying the conditions of the competition, and including names of Tournament Committee and of the Referee.

4.—No cheques, orders for money or cash payments in any form shall be given as prizes, and the amount actually paid for each prize shall in no case be below the advertised value

of the same, if included in circular. If any challenge cup is offered it shall be deeded to the National Lawn Tennis Association. (See form of deed of gift on opposite page.) The winner of a Challenge Cup shall be entitled to the possession of the cup until one month previous to the next competition for the cup, possession being conditional on the giving of a bond by the winner satisfactory to the Club. Should the Club give possession without such bond, it shall be liable to the National Association for the value of the cup.

5.—The Committee shall elect a Referee, with power to appoint a substitute to be approved by them. The Referee or his duly appointed substitute must be present at all times when play is in progress.

6.—The Referee or such other member or members of the Committee as may be selected for the purpose, shall have power to appoint Umpires and Linesmen, to assign courts and to start matches, and the Referee shall decide any point of law which an Umpire may profess himself unable to decide, or which may be referred to him on appeal from the decision of an Umpire, and such decision shall be final.

7.—The Referee shall, during the Tournament, be ex-officio a member of the Committee.

8.—The Committee shall help to keep order on the ground, and shall consult and decide upon any question arising out of the competition, if summoned for that purpose by the Referee or by any two of their number; and they shall have power, when so convened, the misconduct of a Competitor having been reported to them by a member of the Committee or an Umpire, to disqualify the offender, and further to order him off the ground, should his misconduct appear to them to justify such action, but before such action shall be taken, an opportunity of offering an explanation shall be afforded

to the competitor, whose misconduct has been reported to them. When the whole of the Committee of a Club or even a quorum thereof may not be available, the members of the Committee that are available shall have power to act in cases left to the Committee of the Club.

"Deed of Gift" Form for Challenge Cups.

Know All Men by These Presents:

THAT.....hereby presents to the United States National Lawn Tennis Association the cup tendered herewith, to be called and known as.....
.....and to represent.....
to be held under the auspices of the United States National Lawn Tennis Association, according to such Rules and Regulations as may be, from time to time, prescribed by said Association. The winner of the said championship shall be entitled to the possession of the cup for the period during which he holds the championship, being responsible, however, for the production of the cup at the next championship contest. This cup shall become the property of the player who shall win said championship at.....
annual championship contests.....

If for any reason no contest for said championship should be held for a period of two years, the United States National Lawn Tennis Association shall have the right to dispose of said cup as shall seem proper.

(Signature).....

IN WITNESS WHEREOF,

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9.—It is the duty of an Umpire—

(a) To ascertain that the net is at the right height before the commencement of play, and to measure and adjust the net during play, if asked to do so, or if, in his opinion, its height has altered.

(b) To call the faults (subject to Regulation 10) and lets unless he delegates such power.

(c) To call the strokes when won, or when he is asked to call them, and to record them upon the Umpire's scoring sheet.

(d) To call the games and the sets at the end of each,

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* Example:

The strokes are scored by means of pencil marks in the spaces beneath the word "STROKES," thus:

Game.	Initials of Players.	STROKES.																				Game won by
1	A. B.	1	1		1		1															
	C. D.			1		1																
2	C. D.		1		1	1		1			1	1	1									
	A. B.	1		1			1		1	1												

The Scoring Sheet shows that in the first game the score ran, and would have been called, thus: — "15—love, 30—love, 30—15, 40—15, 40—30, game (A.B.)" In the second game: "Love—15, 15 all, 15—30, 30 all, 40—30, deuce, advantage (C.D.), deuce, advantage (A.B.), deuce, advantage (C.D.), game (C.D.)"

The score of the Server should be called first.

or when asked to call them, and to record them on the Umpire's scoring sheet.

NOTE—At the end of each game the games should be called with the name of the player who is in advance, thus: "2 games to 1, B wins" or, "B leads." If the games are level the score should be called thus, "three games all," or as the case may be. At the end of each set the sets should be called in like manner.

(e) To direct the Competitors to change sides, in accordance with Law 24.

In scoring handicap matches, the odds received should be marked by crosses on the right of the first perpendicular thick line before the commencement of each game, thus:

Game.	Initials of Players.	STROKES.	Game won by
1	A. B.	+	
	C. D.		
2	C. D.		
	A. B.	+ +	
3	A. B.	+	
	C. D.		
4	C. D.		
	A. B.	+ +	
5	A. B.	+	
	C. D.		
6	C. D.		
	A. B.	+ +	

Here A. B. is receiving 15 and 3-sixths of 15.

(f) When appealed to during a rally, whether a doubtful ball is "in play" or not, to call "play," and at the conclusion of the rally to give his decision (subject to Regulation 11) or direct the Competitors to play the stroke again.

(g) To decide all doubtful or disputed strokes, and all points of law (subject to Regulations 10 and 11), and to be responsible for the proper conduct of the match.

When odds are owed, they should be marked on the left of the first thick perpendicular line before the commencement of each game, thus:

Game.	Initials of Players.	Strokes.															Game won by
1	A. B.	1	1														
	C. D.																
2	C. D.																
	A. B.		1														
3	A. B.	1	1														
	C. D.																
4	C. D.																
	A. B.		1														
5	A. B.		1														
	C. D.																
6	C. D.																
	A. B.		1														

(h) In handicap matches to call the odds at the commencement of each set.

(i) To sign the Umpire's scoring sheets, and to deliver them at the conclusion of the match to such person as the Committee may authorize to receive them.

Provided, that no omission of any of the foregoing duties on the part of an Umpire shall of itself invalidate any stroke, game or match.

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and should be crossed off one by one when the player owing wins a stroke, thus:

Game.	Initials of Players.	Strokes.	Game won by
1	A. B.	+ +	
	C. D.		
2	C. D.		
	A. B.	+	
3	A. B.	+ +	
	C. D.		
4	C. D.		
	A. B.	+	
5	A. B.	+	
	C. D.		
6	C. D.		
	A. B.	+	

Here A.B. owes 15 and 2-sixths of 15.

10.—It is the duty of the Linesman to call faults and to decide strokes relating to the line or lines to which he is assigned and to said line or lines only, and such decision shall be final. Should the Linesman be unable to give a decision, the Umpire shall decide or shall direct the stroke to be played again.

11. The decision of an Umpire shall be final upon every question of fact, and no competitor may appeal from it; but if an Umpire be in doubt as to a point of law, or if a competitor appeal against his decision on such a point, the Umpire shall submit it to the Referee whose decision shall be final.

NOTE—A question of fact relates to events that actually happened. A question of law is the construction and application of the laws of the game to the admitted facts.

12. The Referee shall not bet on a match nor shall an Umpire or Linesman on the match to which he is assigned. An infraction of this rule shall be followed by the immediate removal of the offending Referee, Umpire or Linesman on the complaint of any competitor.

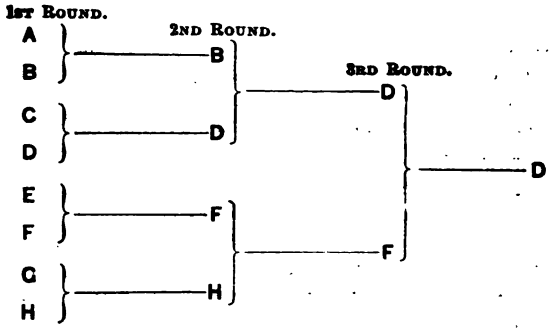
13. No Competitor may transfer his entry to another player.

14.—Competitors shall have a right, by themselves or their deputies, to be present at the draw.

15.—The draw shall be conducted in the following manner: Each Competitor's name shall be written on a separate card or paper, and these shall be placed in a bowl or hat, drawn out one by one at random, and copied on a list in the order in which they have been drawn.*

16.—When the number of Competitors is 4, 8, 16, 32, 64, or any higher power of 2, they shall meet in pairs, in accordance with the system shown by the following diagram:

* Except that in Intercollegiate and Interscholastic matches the draw shall be arranged to prevent members of the same school or college from meeting each other in the first and second rounds, the draw in other ways being arranged absolutely by chance.



17.—When the number of Competitors is not a power of 2, there shall be byes in the first round. The number of byes shall be equal to the difference between the number of Competitors and the next higher power of 2, and the number of pairs that shall meet in the first round shall be equal to the difference between the number of Competitors and the next lower power of 2. The byes, if even in number, shall be divided, as the names are drawn, in equal proportions at the top and bottom of the list, above and below the pairs. If uneven in number, there shall be one more bye at the bottom than at the top. Thus—

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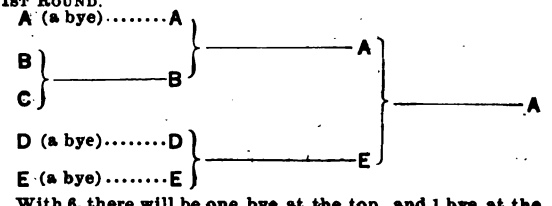
From 5 to 8 Competitors.



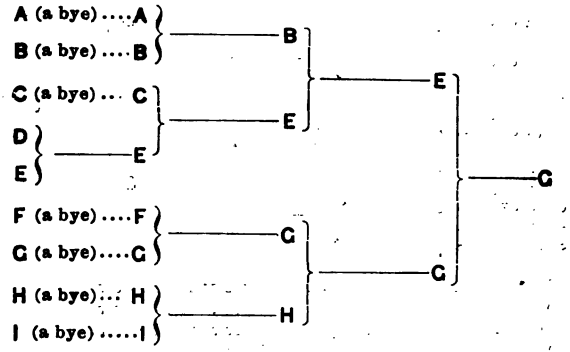
With 6, there will be one bye at the top, and 1 bye at the bottom. With 7, 1 bye at the bottom. With 8, no byes.

SERIES 2.

From 9 to 16 Competitors.

With 9, 3 byes at the top, and 4 byes at the bottom.

1ST ROUND.

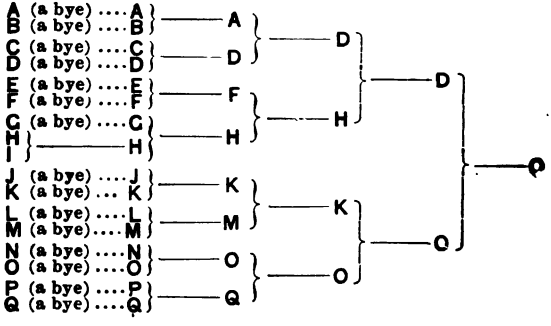


With 10, 3 byes at the top, and 3 at the bottom.
With 11, 2 byes at the top, and 3 at the bottom.
With 12, 2 byes at the top, and 2 at the bottom.
With 13, 1 bye at the top, and 2 at the bottom.
With 14, 1 bye at the top, and 1 at the bottom.
With 15, 1 bye at the bottom.
With 16, no byes.

Series 3.

From 17 to 32 Competitors.

With 17, 7 byes at the top, and 8 byes at the bottom.



With 18, 7 byes at the top, and 7 byes at the bottom.
With 19, 6 byes at the top, and 7 byes at the bottom.
With 20, 6 byes at the top, and 6 byes at the bottom.
With 21, 5 byes at the top, and 6 byes at the bottom.
With 22, 5 byes at the top, and 5 byes at the bottom.
With 23, 4 byes at the top, and 5 byes at the bottom.
With 24, 4 byes at the top, and 4 byes at the bottom.
With 25, 3 byes at the top, and 4 byes at the bottom.
With 26, 3 byes at the top, and 3 byes at the bottom.
With 27, 2 byes at the top, and 3 byes at the bottom.
With 28, 2 byes at the top, and 2 byes at the bottom.
With 29, 1 bye at the top, and 2 byes at the bottom.
With 30, 1 bye at the top, and 1 bye at the bottom.
With 31, 1 bye at the bottom.
With 32, no byes.
And so on with larger numbers in the same manner.

18.—If a Competitor be absent when called upon to play, or shall refuse to play, or shall have given previous notice to the Referee or to a member of the Committee that he cannot play in the next round, his adversary shall win in that round, unless said Competitor shall have been formally excused for a definite period by the Referee.

19.—In handicap matches the competitors shall be handicapped by the Committee, or by a Handicapper appointed by the Committee.

20.—The method of handicapping shall be by classes as below: —

GIVEN ODDS.

Class O — (Scratch).

Class	1	receives	1-sixth of 15.
"	2	"	2-sixths of 15.
"	3	"	3-sixths of 15.
"	4	"	4-sixths of 15.
"	5	"	5-sixths of 15.
"	6	"	15.
"	7	"	15 and 1-sixth of 15.
"	8	"	15 and 2-sixths of 15.
"	9	"	15 and 3-sixths of 15.
"	10	"	15 and 4-sixths of 15.
"	11	"	15 and 5-sixths of 15.
"	12	"	30.
"	13	"	30 and 1-sixth of 15.
"	14	"	30 and 2-sixths of 15.
"	15	"	30 and 3-sixths of 15.
"	16	"	30 and 4-sixths of 15.
"	17	"	30 and 5-sixths of 15.
"	18	"	40.

When two players in different classes below scratch meet, the superior player shall start from scratch, and the odds received by the inferior player are as shown by the annexed

table, No. 1. To use the table, find in the diagonal line of figures the number representing the class of the superior player, then travel along the horizontal column until the vertical column is reached which bears at the top the number of the class of the inferior player. The odds specified at the intersection of the two columns are the odds required.

Example.—If class 3 has to meet class 9, start from the figure 3 in the diagonal line of figures, and look horizontally until the vertical column is reached headed by the figure 9. The odds given at the point of intersection of the two columns (viz., 15 and 1-6 of 15) are the odds required.

When the difference between the best and the worst players entered is great (say more than 30), it is desirable to handicap the best players at owed odds. The players above scratch (i. e., owing odds) should be classified as follows: —

OWED ODDS.

Class	1	owes	1-sixth of 15.
"	2	"	2-sixths of 15.
"	3	"	3-sixths of 15.
"	4	"	4-sixths of 15.
"	5	"	5-sixths of 15.
"	6	"	15.
"	7	"	15 and 1-sixth of 15.
"	8	"	15 and 2-sixths of 15.
"	9	"	15 and 3-sixths of 15.
"	10	"	15 and 4-sixths of 15.
"	11	"	15 and 5-sixths of 15.
"	12	"	30.
"	13	"	30 and 1-sixth of 15.
"	14	"	30 and 2-sixths of 15.
"	15	"	30 and 3-sixths of 15.
"	16	"	30 and 4-sixths of 15.
"	17	"	30 and 5-sixths of 15.
"	18	"	40.

HANDICAPS. TABLE No. 1. *(Received Odds).*

When two players, both in receipt of odds, meet, the player receiving the smaller odds is put back to scratch. The following table shows the point at which the other should then start. The number at the left of the horizontal columns denotes the player who goes back to scratch, those at the head of the vertical columns the player who still receives odds; and the numbers within the columns show the odds to be received by the player whose number stands at the head of the column.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18
⅙ of 15	⅖ of 15	⅗ of 15	⅘ of 15	⅚ of 15	15.	15.1	15.2	15.3	15.4	15.5	30.	30.1	30.2	30.3	30.4	30.5	40.
1	⅙ of 15	⅖ of 15	⅗ of 15	⅘ of 15	⅚ of 15	15.	15.1	15.2	15.3	15.4	15.5	30.	30.1	30.2	30.3	30.5	40.
	2	⅙ of 15	⅖ of 15	⅗ of 15	⅘ of 15	15.	15.	15.1	15.2	15.4	15.5	30.	30.1	30 2	30.3	30.4	30.5
		3	⅙ of 15	⅖ of 15	⅗ of 15	⅘ of 15	15.	15.1	15.1	15.3	15.4	30.	30.	30.1	30.2	30.4	30.5
			4	⅙ of 15	⅖ of 15	⅗ of 15	⅘ of 15	15.	15.1	15.2	15.4	15.5	30.	30.1	30.2	30.3	30.5
				5	⅙ of 15	⅖ of 15	⅗ of 15	⅘ of 15	15.	15.1	15.3	15.5	15.5	30.	30.1	30.2	30.4
					6	⅙ of 15	⅖ of 15	⅗ of 15	⅘ of 15	15.	15.1	15 3	15.5	15.5	30,	30.1	30.4
						7	⅙ of 15	⅖ of 15	⅗ of 15	⅘ of 15	15.	15 2	15.4	15.5	30.	30.1	30.3
							8	⅙ of 15	⅖ of 15	⅗ of 15	15	15.1	15.2	15.4	15.5	30.	30.2
								9	⅙ of 15	⅖ of 15	⅗ of 15	15	15.2	15 3	15.4	30	30.1
									10	⅙ of 15	⅖ of 15	15	15.1	15.2	15 3	15 5	30 1
										11	⅖ of 15	⅘ of 15	15	15.1	15 2	15 4	30.
											12	⅖ of 15	⅗ of 15	⅘ of 15	15	15 2	15 5
												13	⅖ of 15	⅗ of 15	⅘ of 15	15 1	15 3
													14	⅙ of 15	⅖ of 15	⅗ of 15	15 2
														15	⅙ of 15	⅖ of 15	15
															16	⅗ of 15	15.
																17	⅘ of 15

This table was calculated upon the following data:—

In the case of received odds—

The average value of ⅙ is .2024
" " " ⅖ " .3552
" " " ⅗ " .4811
" " " ⅘ " .6069
" " " ⅚ " .7841

Length of a game is 4.6250 strokes.

15.1 means 15 and one-sixth of 15 and so on.

HANDICAPS. TABLE No. 2. *(Owed Odds).*

When two players meet who are handicapped to *owe* odds, the player owing the lesser odds is placed at scratch. This Table shows the odds the other will still owe.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18
$\frac{1}{6}$ of 15	$\frac{2}{6}$ of 15	$\frac{3}{6}$ of 15	$\frac{4}{6}$ of 15	$\frac{5}{6}$ of 15	15.	15.1	15.2	15.3	15 4	15.5	30	30.1	30.2	30.3	30.4	30.5	40
1	$\frac{1}{6}$ of 15	$\frac{1}{6}$ of 15	$\frac{2}{6}$ of 15	$\frac{3}{6}$ of 15	$\frac{4}{6}$ of 15	15.	15.1	15 1	15.2	15.3	15 4	30	30	30 1	30.2	30.3	30 4
	2	$\frac{1}{6}$ of 15	$\frac{1}{6}$ of 15	$\frac{2}{6}$ of 15	$\frac{3}{6}$ of 15	$\frac{5}{6}$ of 15	15.	15	15 1	15 2	15 3	15 4	15.5	30	30	30 1	30 2
		3	$\frac{1}{6}$ of 15	$\frac{1}{6}$ of 15	$\frac{2}{6}$ of 15	$\frac{4}{6}$ of 15	15 of 15	15	15	15.1	15 2	15 3	15.4	15.5	30	30	30.1
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This table has been calculated upon the following data:—

In the case of owed odds—

The average value of $\frac{1}{6}$ is .2158

" " " $\frac{2}{6}$ " .3929

" " " $\frac{3}{6}$ " .5188

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" " " $\frac{5}{6}$ " .7975

" " Length of a game is 4.6250 strokes.

In using this table supply throughout the word "owe" before the odds specified.

When the two players in different classes above scratch meet, the inferior player shall start from scratch, and the odds owed by the superior player are as shown by the annexed table, No. 2.

This table is to be used in the same way as the former, the class of the superior player being looked for in the horizontal line of figures at the top, and the class of the inferior player in the diagonal line of figures.

Example.—If class 12 (owe 30) meet class 7 (owe 15 and 1-6 of 15), the former must owe the latter the odds of 4-6 of 15.

21.—In Championship matches and handicaps by classes, as above, advantage sets shall be played throughout.

22.—The Committee may, whether appealed to by any Competitor or not, postpone the meeting or any match or part of a match if, in their opinion, the state of the weather, or of the light, or the condition of the ground, or other circumstances, render it advisable to do so. In cases of postponement, Law 25 must be strictly observed.

Cases and Decisions.

By James Dwight.

THE following Cases and Decisions are intended to meet questions often asked at Tournaments, and also to cover points apparently not provided for in the Laws.

I. A player standing outside the court volleys the ball or catches it in his hand, and claims the stroke because the ball was certainly going out of court.

Decision. — He loses the stroke. It makes no difference where he was standing. The return is presumed good until it strikes the ground outside of the court.

II. A player is struck by the ball served before it has touched the ground, he being outside of the service court. How does it count?

Decision. — The player struck loses the stroke. The service is presumably good until it strikes in the wrong court. A player cannot take the decision upon himself by stopping the ball. If it is going to be a fault, he has only to get out of the way.

III. The service is delivered before the striker-out is ready. He tries to return it and fails. Is he entitled to have it played over again?

Decision. — No. If he attempts to return the service he is deemed ready.

IV. The striker-out calls "Not ready," for a second service. The ball strikes beyond the service line, and the

striker-out claims that the fact that he was not ready makes no difference, since a fault cannot be returned, and, therefore, that two faults have been served.

Decision. — The second service goes for nothing. A player cannot call "Not ready," and then have the service count, or not, as suits his interests.

V. A ball having been played over the net bounds back into the court from which it came. The player reaches over the net and plays it before it falls. Has he a right to do so?

Decision. — Yes, provided he does not touch the net. He has a right to play the ball at any time from the moment it crosses the net into his court until it touches the ground a second time.

VI. A ball is played into the net; the player on the other side, thinking that the ball is coming over, strikes at it and hits the net. Who loses the stroke?

Decision. — It is simply a question of fact for the umpire to decide. If the player touched the net while the ball was still in play he loses the stroke.

VII Can a player follow a ball over the net with his racket, provided that he hits the ball on his own side of the net?

Decision. — Yes, the only restrictions are that he shall not volley the ball until it has crossed the net, and that he shall not touch the net or any of its supports.

VIII. A player's racket slips out of his hand and flies into the net. Does he lose the stroke for hitting the net?

Decision. — Yes, if the ball be still in play. It does not matter if the racket be in a player's hand or not.

IX. A player's racket leaves his hand, but meets the ball and returns it over the net. Is it a good return?

Decision. — Yes. There is no law requiring a racket to

be in a player's hand when the ball is returned. It would unquestionably be a good return if the racket were held against the ground by a player's feet, and the ball bounded back off of it.

X. A single match is played with a double net and inside posts. A player touches the net beyond the inside posts, and claims that he does not lose the stroke because there should be no net more than three feet outside of the court.

Decision.— He loses the stroke. The net where he touches it is part of the supports of the net. He might, perhaps, have objected to the arrangement of the net before the match.

XI. A player returns the ball, and, finding that he cannot stop himself before reaching the net, jumps over it. Is it a good return?

Decision.— Law 4 requires that "the players shall stand on opposite sides of the net," and therefore the player invading his opponet's court loses the stroke.

XII. A ball passes outside the post of the net and strikes in court. Is it a good return.

Decision.— Yes.

XIII. A ball going out of court hits the top of the post of the net and bounds into the opposite court.

Decision.— It is a good return.

XIV. The service or the ball in play strikes a ball lying in the court. Can it be returned?

Decision.— Yes, if it be clear to the umpire that the right ball is returned.

XV. The server claims that the striker-out must stand in the court. Is this necessary?

Decision.— No. The striker-out can stand wherever he pleases on his own side of the net.

XVI. A bystander gets in the way of a player who fails to return the ball. May he then claim a let?

Decision. — Yes, if, in the umpire's opinion, he was prevented by an accident beyond his control. For instance, if the ropes or the seats are allowed to be so near to the court that a player is interfered with by them, the stroke should not be played again, because the ropes and seats form part of the arrangements of the ground. If, however, a spectator passes in front of those seats, or places a chair nearer than the original line, and so interferes with a player, the stroke should be played again.

XVII. A player is interfered with as above, and the umpire directs the stroke to be played again. The server had previously served a fault. He claims the right to two services.

Decision. — The fault stands. A let does not annul a previous fault.

XVIII. A return hits the umpire, or his chair or stand, the player claims that the ball was going into court.

Decision. — Stroke is lost.

XIX. A player receiving fifteen, serves from the left court. His opponent claims a fault.

Decision. — It is a fault. The service starts from the right court under all circumstances.

XX. At fifteen-all the server by mistake serves from the left court, he wins the stroke and serves again (a fault), the mistake is then discovered. Is he entitled to the previous stroke? From which court should he serve next?

Decision. — The previous stroke stands. A fault cannot be claimed after the next service, good or not, is delivered. The next service should be from the left court, the score being thirty-fifteen, and the server has served one fault.

XXI. A player serves from the wrong court, he loses the stroke, and then claims that it was a fault.

Decision. — If the stroke was played in his first service it is simply a fault, but if he serves twice into the wrong court he has served two faults, and lost the stroke.

XXII. The score is five games all, and the umpire directs the players to play an advantage set. The advantage game has been won, when it is discovered that no advantage sets are to be played. What is to be done?

Decision. — The set is won at the eleventh game. It is no part of the umpire's duty to decide on the conditions of the matches.

XXIII. A player serves. He hears the umpire call, but cannot hear what he says. He knows that the only two things that the umpire should call are "fault" and "let," and that in neither case can the ball be in play. He, therefore, does not return it, only to find that the umpire has called "play." Has he any redress?

Decision. — No.

XXIV. The umpire calls "fault," and then instantly changes and says "play." The striker-out fails to return the ball, and he claims he was prevented by the umpire, and also that the umpire cannot change his decision.

Decision. — The umpire should call a let and the service be taken again.

XXV. A ball drops near a line, the player appeals, and the umpire calls "play." The player misunderstands the call and lets the ball fall. He then claims to have the stroke played again.

Decision. — The stroke stands.

XXVI.—The ball strikes the ground close to a line the scorer scores the stroke against the striker. On appeal to the

linesman, the latter decided that the ball was not out. Which decision stands?

Decision. — The scorer has no right to consider a ball out until the linesman has called to that effect, therefore, the decision of the latter must be accepted. The decision of a linesman affecting his own line is final.

XXVII. A return strikes the cord running along the bottom of the net and bounds over. Is it a good return?

Decision. — Yes.

XXVIII. During play a ball is thrown into court, and the ball in play strikes it or a player steps on it. May a let be claimed?

Decision. — Yes.

XXIX. The server's first service strikes his partner. Does he lose the stroke or is it a fault?

Decision. — A fault.

XXX. A player serves a fault and it is then discovered that it is his partner's service. Does the fault stand?

Decision. — Yes.

XXXI. In a four-handed competition one player does not appear in time to play, and his partner claims to be allowed to play single-handed against the opposing pair May he do so?

Decision. — No.

THE SEASON OF 1906.

FOR several years lawn tennis has been increasing in popularity, each year showing more players and tournaments than the year before.

The increase in 1906 was as great as ever, and though, as the year before sending a team to England took away four of the best players there were more tournaments and entries than ever before.

Indoor Championships.

These were held in New York in the armory of the 7th Regiment as usual. W. C. Grant won the Singles; H. H. Hackett and F B. Alexander the Doubles.

New England Intercollegiate.

Entries came from Amherst, Bowdoin, Brown, Dartmouth, M. I. T., Wesleyan and Williams. Amherst was obliged to default. Smith of Williams won the Singles, and Fanning and Nicholl of Techn ology the Doubles. The present score for the cup is: Williams, 6; Technology, 4; Brown, 3½; Dartmouth and Amherst, 2 each, and Bowdoin Bates and Tufts, 1 each; Wesleyan, ½.

New York L. T. C.

32 players entered. Kelley beat Grant and Hackett beat Anderson Kelley beat Mollenhauer but lost the finals to Hackett in three close sets.

The Manhattan Doubles had a large entry. Alexander and Anderson beat Grant and Kelley in the finals but lost the challenge match to Hackett and Allen, 6-2, 6-3, 6-4.

R. T. Bryan at owe 30 won the handicap in a field of 48.

Virginia State.

Played on the grounds of the Norfolk Country Club. Whitehead beat Reed in the final, 4-6, 6-0, 6-0, 6-4, and won the Championship by default from H. F. Allen. Whitehead and Reed won the Doubles beating Colston and B. B. V. Lyon, 6-4, 2-6, 6-8 6-3, 6-0.

Championship of the Gulf States.

Played at New Orleans and won by N. Thornton, who with Grant also won the Doubles.

Interscholastic.

Harvard, Davenport; Bowdoin, Sweetzer; Columbia, Donnell; Penn, Simmons; Chicago, Ross; Yale, Cooke; Princeton Harrison.

Harvard vs. Yale.

Played at New Haven and won by Harvard seven matches to two.

Niles beat Behr, 6-2, 6-3, Sulloway beat Dolbeare, 6-1, 6-0; Howland beat Wells, Morse beat Partridge, Smither beat Spalding, Marcus (Y.) beat Eisman.

In the Doubles Harvard won two matches to one.

Championship of the Middle Atlantic States.

Played on the grounds of the Bachelor's Club of Washington. This tournament takes the place of the Southern Championship which has been for many years held by the Bachelors' Club, but which has been transferred to Atlanta, Ga., owing to the great increase of lawn tennis in the South. 25 entries. Hooker beat Davidson and Doyle beat Glazebrook in the semi-finals, and Doyle won the final.

Doyle and Doyle beat Davidson and Glazebrook in the final of the Doubles. Kelley won the Consolation.

Crescent A. C.

23 entries. Won by C. M. Bull who beat Martin in the final and W. A. Campbell in the challenge round.

Massachusetts State Doubles.

The tournament was held at the Brae Burn Country Club in Newton. There were no less than 35 pairs; a very large entry, and there were very few defaults. The Johnson Brothers beat Niles and Bishop, but lost to Leonard and I. C. Wright. The latter beat Pier and Beals in the finals, and in the Challenge match beat Sulloway and J. I. B. Larned, 6-2, 6-4, 6-3.

Massachusetts State.

Played at Longwood as usual. There were 64 entries. In the semi-final Wright beat H. H. Whitman and Sulloway beat Leonard. In the final Sulloway beat Wright. In the Championship Seaver beat Sulloway, 6-1. 6-4, 6-4.

Staten Island Ladies Club.

The Singles were won by Miss Moore.

The Doubles by Misses Johnson and Coffin, who beat Miss Moore and Miss Brown in the final.

Miss Johnson and Miss Blythe won the Mixed Doubles, beating Miss Coffin and Miss Johnson, 6-1, 8-6.

Pennsylvania State.

Played on the grounds of the Merion Cricket Club. There were 41 entries in the Singles. In the upper half Carpenter beat Hoskins, and Doyle lost to Clothier in the final. The latter won easily all through, and beat Dewhurst. the holder, 6-3, 6-2, 6-4.

18 pairs entered the Doubles. Randall and Marsh won the tournament, beating Clothier and Biddle in the final, 6-1, 6-4, 6-3. They lost to Dewhurst and Carpenter, 6-3, 8-6, 6-1. Philler and Downey won the Consolation Doubles.

Metropolitan.

52 players entered the Singles. In the third round Anderson beat Tallant. Semi-final Round: Anderson beat Torrance and Hackett

beat Kelley. Final Round: Hackett beat Anderson. In the Championship, F. B. Alexander beat Hackett, 4-6, 4-6, 6-3, 6-3, 6-1.

There were 60 in the handicap. Torrey, ½ 30 won, beating Bennett scratch in the final.

Consolation went to Bodman, who beat W. V. Bennett in the final.

8 Ladies entered the Women's Singles, and Miss H. Homans beat Miss S. Homans in the final, and with Kelley won the Mixed Doubles also.

New Jersey State.

Played at the Morristown Field Club. There were 24 entries. In the semi-final, Pell beat Glazebrook and Schley beat Freeman. Pell beat Schley in the final, 6-3 6-1, 6-0, but lost to Anderson for the Championship, 6-2, 6-1, 3-6, 6-2.

In the Doubles Walker and Carter beat Anderson and Westfall in the semi-finals, and Pell and Prentice beat Hinck and Smith. Smith and Prentice won the final three sets to none.

H. P. Smith won the Consolation.

16 ladies entered the Singles. Miss Edna Wildey beat Miss E. W. Smith in the final, but was beaten in the Championship by Miss Alice Day, the holder. Miss Eleanor Souther, won the Consolation.

There were 8 pairs in the Ladies' Doubles. Mrs. W. C. Aufermann and Miss E. W. Smith beat Miss Marion Swords and Miss Eleanor Souther in the final.

Dr. Glazebrook and Miss Wildey won the Mixed Doubles, beating P. L. Weiner and Miss Souther in the final.

Delaware State.

Played at the Wilmington Country Club. 23 entries. Won by P. B. Hawk, who did not lose a set H. B. Register won the Consolation. Hawk and James won the Doubles. Philler and Downey took the Consolation Doubles.

Missouri State.

Held at St. Louis A. A. The tournament was won by O. R. Vernon, who lost to the holder, R. McKrittrick, 6-2, 5-7 6-3, 14-12, 6-2. In the Doubles Anderson and Connett won the tournament and also the Challenge match, beating McKrittrick and Wear, 6-3, 2-6, 6-4, 6-3.

Maryland State.

Given by the Catonsville Country Club.

Challenge Round: E. B. Dewhurst beat Robert LeRoy, 6-1. 7-5, 8-6.

New England State.

Played on the grounds of the Hartford Golf Club. 23 entries. Grant was put out by Stoddard, who in turn was beaten by Pell. The final was between Pell and LeRoy. The former won in a long match, in which he lost the first and second sets, 5-7, 2-6, 6-3, 6-2, 8-6.

Behr retained the Championship, beating Pell 7-5, 4-6, 0-6, 7-5, 6-3. In the Doubles LeRoy and Grant won, beating Behr and Pell, 6-0, 6-2, 7-5.

Women's Championships.

Held by the Philadelphia Cricket Club. 34 entered the Singles. Won by Miss Homans, who beat Mrs. Wallach.

Mrs. Coe and Mrs. Platt beat Miss Homans and Miss Boldt in the final of the Doubles, 6-4, 6-4.

Miss Coffin with Dewhurst beat Miss Johnson and her brother in the final of the Mixed Doubles, 6-3, 7-5.

Dewhurst beat Seaver in the men's tournament, 6-3, 7-5.

Tennessee State.

Given by the Nashville Tennis Club. 17 entries. Hunt of California won easily except in the final when he beat Thornton, the holder of the championship of the South Atlantic states, 6-3, 6-3, 3-6, 11-9.

Hunt and Lee won the Doubles, beating Post and Logan in the final, and the Rodger Brothers in the Championship.

Championship of Utah.

Held at Salt Lake City by the Inter-Mountain Lawn Tennis Association D. C. Roberts beat R. T. Richards, and R. W. Salisbury beat Rodney Badger in the semi-finals, and Salisbury won the final, 6-4, 6-0 6-2.

He lost the Challange match to O. J. Salisbury, Jr., 8-6, 6-0, 6-8, 6-0.

The Salisbury brothers won the Doubles beating the Roberts brothers, 6-2, 8-6, 8-6.

There were 39 entries in the Singles and 12 pairs in the Doubles.

Middle States.

Played at Orange, N. J. One of the oldest tournaments in the country.

Larned beat Clothier, 4-6, 6-2, 6-2, 6-3.

Larned and Clothier beat Torrance and Pell, 6-4, 5-7, 6-2, 6-2, and in the Challenge match beat Alexander and Hackett, 6-1, 4-6, 7-5, 1-6, 9-7.

Miss Homans beat Miss Day, 6-0, 6-2, and won by default from Miss Neely the holder.

Springfield Country Club.

There were 26 entries, among whom were LeRoy, Hooker and F. W. and R. Cole. LeRoy beat Hooker in the semi-final and F. W. Cole in the final, in a close match, 6-4, 5-7, 6-1, 8-6.

LeRoy and Hooker beat the Coles in the Doubles three sets to none.

Canadian Championship.

Played at Niagara on-the-Lake and won by I. C. Wright who beat Fischer in the Challenge match, 6-1, 6-3, 6-1.

In the Doubles Glassco and Burns of Toronto beat I. C. Wright and Kirkover, 6-0, 6-1, 11-9.

In the women's Singles Miss Moyer beat Miss Cook and in the Championship beat Miss Summerhayes, 6-3, 6-4.

New York State.

Held by the Staten Island Cricket and Tennis Club.

Singles won by H. H. Hackett. Doubles by T. R. Pell and Torrance.

Southern Championship.

Played at the Atlanta A. C. There were 16 entries. With the exception of Lee from Michigan, Little from Cincinnati, and R. G. Hunt from California all were southern players. Hunt won without losing a set. He beat Little in the final, 6-0, 6-3, 6-0. J. C. Davidson, the holder did not defend.

Grant and Thornton won the Doubles, beating Hunt and Lee in the final, 6-2, 2-6, 6-3, 3-6, 6-2. Larned and Glazebrook did not defend their Championship. It must be remembered that previously this tournament was held in Washington, D. C.

Georgia State.

Held by the Log Cabin Club at Macon. Won by Karl Little who beat Hunt in the finals. Hunt and Lee won the Doubles beating Selden and Selden, 6-2, 6-1, 6-4.

South Atlantic States Championship.

Played at the Country Club at Augusta, Ga. 23 entries in the Singles. Thorton and Williams met in the final and the former won, 6-3, 7-5 6-0. The holder, Cowan Rodgers did not defend. Williams and Selden won the Doubles but lost to the holders Thorton and Grant, 7-5, 6-2, 6-8, 6-2.

B. M. Grant won the Consolation.

Western Championships.

Played at the Kenwood Club, Chicago.

In the final, Emerson beat Waidner easily but in the Championship he lost to Collins, winning the third set only.

Longwood C. C.

77 players entered among whom were Clothier, Behr, Anderson, LeRoy, Dewhurst, Niles, I. C. Wright, Bull, J. D. E. Jones and others. W. F. Johnson and W. E. Putnam, Jr., played the only very close match in the first round, which Johnson won in five sets.

In the second round Dewhurst, Register in a five-set match. Seaver put out Johnson, though he lost two of the first three sets. In the next round Bull beat Holt after losing the second and third sets. Watson beat Seaver in a queer match. The score was, 6-0, 1-6, 6-3, 3-6, 6-2. The fourth round gave Bull another matchwinning from Lovering in four sets, two advantage sets. Dewhurst beat Niles, losing the third set. LeRoy beat Watson by much the same score. I. C. Wright beat Hooker after losing the first and second sets. Jones beat Dana also in five sets. With eight only left in, Clothier beat Bull. Dewhurst won in five sets from LeRoy. Behr beat Wright and Anderson beat Jones. In the semi-final Clothier lost the first set to Dewhurst but won the others without much trouble. Behr beat Anderson. Behr won the tournament Clothier not being able to win a set though the second was 8-6.

Larned defended his cup, 8-6, 3-6, 6-2, 6-3.

Nahant.

A large number of really good players entered. Larned, Behr, Clothier, LeRoy, Seaver, Niles, Dewhurst, Leonard, Jones and others. In the semi-finals, Larned beat Clothier, 5-7, 6-0, 6-1. Behr beat Dewhurst, though he lost the first set and Dewhurst was 5-4 in the third. Matches were two in three sets except in the final. Larned won the final in a long match, 5-7, 6-4, 6-4, 2-6, 6-4.

M. D. Whitman and Clothier won the Doubles, beating Watson and Colston in the final, 6-3, 6-2.

The Wentworth.

There were some thirty entries of whom I. C. Wright was the best. He won easily.

The Doubles went to Wright and Johnson.

Englewood Field Club.

There were 48 entries.

Ridgwood.

23 entered. R. H. Palmer of the Ridgwood Club won the tournament. He had two very hard matches to play. The first with Register of the Merion Club, which he won ,4-6, 7-5, 6-0, 6-8, 6-2, and the final with C. A. Blyth of the Staten Island C. & T. Club, 6-2, 5-7, 7-5, 2-6, 6-3. He also beat the holder, E. A. Basch, of the Passaic L. T. C., 4-6, 4-6, 8-6, 6-4, 6-4.

Vermont State.

Given by the Old Pine Golf Club at St. Johnsbury. 27 entries. Arthur Sweetzer won without the loss of a set, beating Cornwall in the final. He lost the challange match to Russ, 5-7, 6-4, 6-3, 6-3.

Fairbanks won the Consolation. Fairbanks and Sprague won the Doubles, Russ and Cresson the holders defaulted.

White Mountain Championship.

Played at the Crawford House with 32 entries. Russ beat W. B. Cragin, Jr., in the final, 6-2, 6-1, 6-2. Walworth took the Consolation. In the Doubles there were 16 pairs. Russ and Cornwall won easily. They beat Cragin and Miller in the final, 6-2, 6-1, 6-3.

Southampton.

Larned won, beating Behr in the final, 3-6. 6-4, 6-8, 6-1, 7-5. Larned and Clothier won the Doubles. They beat Watson and Colston in the semi-finals and B. C. Wright and Stillman in the final. Miss Stevenson and Colston won the Mixed Doubles, beating Miss Coffin and Dew-

hurst in the final. W. F, Johnson beat C. F. Watson, Jr., in the Consolation.

East Jersey Lawn Tennis Association.

There was an entry of no less than 63. In the fourth round Mollenhauer beat Smith, Anderson beat Antonides, Westfall beat Freeman. and Pell beat Tallant. In the semi-final, Anderson beat Mollenhauer and Pell beat Westfall. Anderson won the final, 6-8, 9-7, 7-5, 6-3, but he lost the Challenge match to Behr, 5-7, 2-6, 9-7, 6-4, 7-5.

Mathey won the Consolation.

Pell and LeRoy won the Doubles, beating Anderson and Hinck, 6-8, 6-3, 7-5, 6-2. There were 28 pairs. Miss Coffin and LeRoy won the Mixed Doubles, Miss Johnson and Miss Coffin won the Ladies' Doubles.

Tri-State.

LeRoy beat Little but lost to B. C. Wright in five sets, 6-1, 6-4, 4-6, 4-6, 6-2. Miss May Sutton beat Miss Florence Sutton, 7-5, 6-2, and with Way beat her sister and Belden by the same score.

Rhode Island State.

Given by the Agawam Hunt Club of Providence. There were 35 entries. Dana beat Gross in the final, 9-7, 6-3, 13-11, and also won from Jones, 6-3, 6-3, 6-4.

Nyack Country Club.

Anderson won beating Mollenhauer. Miss Helen Homans beat Miss Pouch, and Miss M. Wagner and Mollenhauer beat Mr. and Mrs. Pouch.

Intercollegiate

Played on the grounds of the Merion C. C. In the semi-finals, LeRoy (C) beat Gordon (P) and Pell (H) beat Tilden (Penn). In the final, LeRoy was too strong for Pell and won, 6-0, 6-1, 6-3.

In the Doubles, Yale won having two pairs in the semi-final.

THE CHAMPIONSHIP.

THE 26th annual Championship of the United States was held at the Casino, at Newport, on Aug. 21st and following days. There were 117 entries, the largest number that there has ever been.

The year before there were 105, which was about 20 more than had entered before. This made 53 matches in the first round. As the Western Double Champions were unable to be present, the usual match for the first day of the tournament, between the winners at Chicago and Longwood did not take place, and there was no match of any great interest. The most important was between Little and Anderson, which Little won, 6-3, 6-4, 8-6. A less important but very pretty match was between H. Simmons, the Interscholastic Champion of Pennsylvania and A. S. Dabney of Harvard. The former won, 6-1, 5-7, 4-6, 6-3. 6-1. Sweetzer beat Hooker in five sets and Ames easily beat Read. Hobart defaulted. I. C. Wright beat Niles, 7-5, 6-1, 6-2. Richard Stevens was unable to appear.

The second round produced one very important match, namely Behr and Larned. It was played in front of the Tennis Court as the Championship Doubles were going on in the grandstand court.

The sets were faily close but it was in Behr's favor almost all the time. In the first set Behr got, 3-1, 4-2, 5-3, and won, 6-4. In the second Larned got 4-3 and Behr won three games, the last one at deuce. In the third set Behr was 5-3, when Larned made it games all, but he lost the next two and the match. Larned did not play as well as usual.

Of the other matches, H. Simmons found Jones too strong for him. Pell beat Lovering in five sets. Cooke beat Burden. It was the second five-set match that he had played. I. C. Wright beat W. F. Johnson osing the first set. Hackett lost a set to Howland.

In the fourth round, Carpenter and Gross played a long match, which the latter won 7-5, 6-3, 6-8, 1-6, 9-7. Most of the other matches were easy, though LeRoy lost a set to Bull.

In the fourth round Leonard beat Putnam, Jones beat Gross easily. Alexander beat Ames and Clothier, Hawk bringing them together. In the lower half, Behr beat Page, I. C. Wright beat LeRoy in a hard match

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Champion of the United States.

in which he lost the first and second sets, 4-6, 4-6, 6-3, 6-3, 6-3. Little beat Dana and Hackett beat Stillman.

The tournament was now reduced to four pairs. Jones beat Leonard easily. Behr beat Wright, though he lost the first set. Little beat Hackett. The great match of the round and in fact of the tournament was between Alexander and Little. Alexander got to 5-2 in the first set and then stopped absolutely, while Clothier made the score, 6-5, in his own favor. Alexander brought it back once to games-all, but Clothier won, 8-6. He also took the second set easily losing but two games, he second and seventh.

In the third set Alexander lost the first game and then won three in succession. After that they alternated till he ran out, 6-4. Alexander carried on his winning streak through the fourth set. He lost the fourth game only and in only one game was deuce called.

He kept on in the fifth set till he was 5-2 and 40-0. Any stroke of three for the match; and again one chance at vantage. In the last four games he won but three strokes. Without detracting from the credit due to Clothier, it certainly seemed as if it was Alexander who lost the match.

In the semi-final Clothier had no trouble in beating Jones in three sets all 6-3 Behr, on the other hand had a very hard match with Little. In the first set with the score 2 all, Little won four games and the set. Only one was deuce. Behr did much the same thing in the second set as he won four out of the last five games, of which but one was deuce.

The third set was a long one. Little started well and was three love 4-1, and 5-3. Behr won the next two games; five all; then six all, when Little got the two games, 8-6.

The fourth set was longer still. Little lost the first game after deuce had been called four times, or apparently he might have won a love set for he took five games in succession. From this point Behr played very strongly and finally brought the score to 5 all. Little got the vantage game twice but never got any farther and lost the set, 9-7. In the last set Little again took the lead with three games love, and he also won the sixth, 4-2, but that was his last. It was a very long and rather tedious match. Neither played consistently well all through, though Behr did very well in the fourth set, when the match was apparently lost.

Many thought that Behr would beat Clothier in the final, and all that it would be a good match. Instead, the match was quite one-sided Behr probably was in no better condition from his match with

Little the day before. Clothier was apparently as fit as he could be. He played a different game from any that he had yet shown. He was very deliberate: almost provokingly so. But if he never hurried he never wasted time. It was all part of one regular plan. Behr won the second game of the first set, but he did not get another till it was 5-1 and he lost, 6-2.

The second set was more even. After Clothier had won two games Behr took three in succession, but he lost the next three and the set, 6-4. In the last set he got only the fifth and sixth games.

Wright showed so good a game in the Doubles that he was thought to be able to defend his Championship. He had played distinctly better in the matches before the men sailed for England than the others, and he seemed now to be in condition to play his one match. On the other hand, no one had looked forward to his meeting so strong a game as Clothier now showed.

As a matter of fact, Wright proved not to be in good condition at all and Clothier played as well or better than he did with Behr.

The first set was divided into three sections of three games each. Clothier won the first three, and then Wright made it three all, but he could do no more. The second set was entirely one-sided. Wright did not win a game and reached deuce in the third game only.

Wright made his best fight in the third and last set, but he could not keep even. Clothier won the first game and the second. Wright made it 2 all. Then, after each had won a game, Clothier won two in succession, and though Wright won the ninth, the set went to Clothier, 6-4.

The Consolation Singles was won by N. W. Niles.

BEALS C. WRIGHT AND HOLCOMBE WARD
Champions in Doubles of the United States.

THE DOUBLES CHAMPIONSHIP.

UNFORTUNATELY the western champions could not come to Newport so that the only Double match lay between Alexander and Hackett and the Champions of the year before Ward and Wright.

It was an interesting match but Ward and Wright had the advantage all the way through. They were surer and made fewer mistakes than their opponents. Wright is credited with 23 places and 38 mistakes. Ward with only 10 places but also only 27 mistakes. Hackett had the most placed balls, but he put 47 balls out of court or into the net.

Alexander had 15 to his credit and 40 against him. Many of Wright's earned points were volleys of overhead balls, of which he was very sure. The service, of course, counted as a very large factor. Ward and Wright had it first and at two to one they won their opponents so that they came to 4-1, instead of 3-2. This advantage they kept and won, 6-3. The second set was more irregular. Each side lost its service and then each won one, then Ward and Wright lost another and with it practically the set, 6-3. In the third set they won the second game against the service and it then alternated till they went out, 6-3. The fourth and last set went with the service up to three all, then Ward and Wright won against the service, 4-3 also their own and finally their opponent's again, 6-3. The last was a love game.

As said before, though the match was closely fought, the better pair won.

The weather was good and there was a very large attendance.

OFFICIAL RANKING, 1906.

Singles.

Class 1 (owe 2-6).

1—W. J. Clothier.
2—W. A. Larned.
3—Beals C. Wright.
4—F. B. Alexander.
5—K. H. Behr.

Class 2 (Scratch).

6—R. D. Little
7—H. H. Hackett.

Class 3 (receive 2-6)

8—F. G. Anderson.
9—E. B. Dewhurst.
10—I. C. Wright.
11—R. LeRoy.

Class 4 (receive 3-6).

12—F. C. Colston.
13—T. R. Pell, Jr.
14—K. Collins.
15—N. Emerson.

Class 5 (receive 4-6).

16—F. J. Sulloway.
17—J. D. E. Jones.
18—R. C. Seaver.
19—H. Mollenhauer.
20—N. W. Niles.
21—W. F. Johnson.
22—L. H. Waidner.
23—C. F. Watson, Jr.

Class 6 (receive 15).

24—C. M. Bull, Jr.
25—R. G. Hunt.
26—Byford.
27—A. Stillman.
28—O. Hincks.
29—W. C. Grant.

Class 7 (receive 1-2 30).

30—H. J. Holt. W
31—C. C. Kelley.
32—W. B. Cragin.
33—A. B. Wadsworth.
34—R. N. Dana.
35—J. O. Ames.

Class 8 (receive 1-2 30 and 2 bisques).

36—P. B. Hawk.
37—E. T. Gross.
38—R. Bishop.
39—T. B. Plympton.
40—R. S. Lovering.
41—H. B. Register.
42—H. Doyle.
43—H. Simmond.
44—A. S. Dabney.
45—E. V. Page.

Doubles.

Class 1 (owe 1-2 15).

1—Ward and Wright.

Class 2 (Scratch).

2—Alexander and Hackett.
3—Clothier and Larned.

Class 3 (receive 1-2 15).

4—Wrenn and Fincke.
5—Dewhurst and Watson.

6—Waidner and Emerson.
7—Torrance and Pell.

Class 4 (receive 15).

8—Hunt and Burton.
9—Anderson and Jones.
10—Dana and Gross.

TABLES.

Giving the ranking of the first ten players of each year, from 1885 to date.

	1885.	1886.	1887.
1.	R. D. Sears.	R. D. Sears.	R. D. Sears.
2.	J. Dwight.	J. Dwight.	H. W. Slocum.
3.	W. V. R. Berry	R. L. Beeckman	R. L. Beeckman.
4.	G. M. Brinley.	H. A. Taylor	H. A. Taylor
5.	J. S. Clark.	J. S. Clark.	J. S. Clark.
6.	A. Moffat.	H. W. Slocum.	F. S. Mansfield.
7.	R. L. Beeckman.	G. M. Brinley.	P. S. Sears.
8.	H. A. Taylor.	F. S. Mansfield.	G. M. Brinley.
9.	F. S. Mansfield.	A. Moffat.	E. P. MacMullen.
10.	W. P. Knapp..	J. S. Conover.	Q. A. Shaw, Jr.
	1888.	1889.	1890.
1.	H. W. Slocum.	H. W. Slocum.	O. S. Campbell.
2.	H. A. Taylor.	Q. A. Shaw, Jr.	R. P. Huntington, Jr.
3.	J. Dwight.	O. S. Campbell.	W. P. Knapp.
4.	J. S. Clark.	H. A. Taylor.	H. W. Slocum.
5.	C. A. Chase.	C. A. Chase.	F. H. Hovey.
6.	P. S. Sears.	J. S. Clark.	C. Hobart.
7.	E. P. MacMullen.	W. P. Knapp.	P. S. Sears.
8.	O. S. Campbell.	R. P. Huntington, Jr.	H. A. Taylor.
9.	R. L. Beeckman.	P. S. Sears.	C. A. Chase.
10.	F. S. Mansfield.	F. S. Mansfield.	V. G. Hall.
	1891.	1892.	1893.
1.	O. S. Cambpell.	O. S. Campbell.	R. D. Wrenn.
2.	C. Hobart.	E. L. Hall.	C. Hobart.
3.	R. P. Huntington, Jr.	W. P. Knapp.	F. H. Hovey.
4.	F. H. Hovey.	C. Hobart.	M. G. Chase.
5.	E. L. Hall.	F. H. Hovey.	W. A. Larned.
6.	V. G. Hall.	W. A. Larned.	E. L. Hall.
7.	P. S. Sears.	M. G. Chase.	R. Stevens.
8.	S. T. Chase.	R. D. Wrenn.	A. E. Foote.
9.	C. T. Lee.	R. Stevens.	John Howland.
10.	M. D. Smith.	C. P. Hubbard.	C. R. Budlong.
	1894.	1895.	1896.
1.	R. D. Wrenn.	F. H. Hovey.	R. D. Wrenn.
2.	W. A. Larned.	W. A. Larned.	W. A. Larned.
3.	M. F. Goodbody.	M. G. Chase.	C. B. Neal.
4.	F. H. Hovey.	John Howland.	F. H. Hovey.
5.	M. G. Chase.	R. D. Wrenn.	E. P. Fischer.
6.	C. Hobart.	C. B. Neel.	G. L. Wrenn, Jr.
7.	Richard Stevens.	C. Hobart.	R. Stevens.
8.	C. R. Budlong.	Richard Stevens.	M. D. Whitman.
9.	A. E. Foote.	A. E. Foote.	L. E. Ware.
10.	W. G. Parker.	C. R. Budlong.	G. P. Sheldon, Jr.

1897.	1898.	1899.
1. R. D. Wrenn.	M. D. Whitman.	M. D. Whitman.
2. W. A. Larned.	L. E. Ware.	D. F. Davis.
3. W. V. Eaves.	W. S. Bond.	W. A. Larned.
4. H. A. Nesbit.	D. F. Davis.	J. P. Paret.
5. H. S. Mahony.	C. R. Budlong.	Kreigh Collins.
6. G. L. Wrenn.	E. P. Fischer.	George Wrenn, Jr.
7. M. D. Whitman.	G. L. Wrenn.	Leo Ware.
8. Kreigh Collins.	Richard Stevens.	Beals C. Wright.
9. E. P. Fischer.	S. C. Millett.	Holcombe Ward.
10. W. S. Bond.	G. K. Belden.	R. P. Huntington, Jr.

1900.	1901.	1902.
1. M. D. Whitman.	W. A. Larned.	W. A. Larned
2. D. F. Davis.	Beals C. Wright.	M. D. Whitman.
3. W. A. Larned.	D. F. Davis.	Beals C. Wright.
4. Beals C. Wright.	L. E. Ware.	Holcombe Ward.
5. Kreigh Collins.	C. Hobart.	W. J. Clothier.
6. George L. Wrenn, Jr.	R. D. Little.	L. E. Ware.
7. Holcombe Ward.	H. Ward.	R. D. Little.
8. L. E. Ware.	Kreigh Collins.	H. H. Hackett.
9. J. L. Allen.	E. P. Fischer.	Clarence Hobart.
10. R. D. Little.	W. J. Clothier.	Kreigh Collins.

1903.	1904.	1905.
1. W. A. Larned.	Holcombe Ward.	Beals C. Wright.
2. Holcombe Ward.	W. J. Clothier.	Holcombe Ward.
3. W. J. Clothier.	W. A. Larned.	W. A. Larned.
4. Beals C. Wright.	Beals. C Wright.	W. J. Clothier.
5. Kreigh Collins.	Kreigh Collins.	F. B. Alexander.
6. E. P. Larned.	E. D. Little.	Clarence Hobart.
7. H. F. Allen.	F. B. Alexander.	Richard Stevens.
8. E. W. Leonard.	Richard Stevens.	Kreigh Collins.
9. R. H. Carleton.	A. E. Bell.	R. D. Little.
10. Kenneth Horton.	E. W. Leonard.	F. G. Anderson.

1906.
1. W. J. Clothier.
2. W. A. Larned.
3. Beals C. Wright.
4. F. B. Alexander.
5. K. H. Behr.
6. R. D. Little.
7. H. H. Hackett.
8. F. G. Anderson.
9. E. B. Dewhurst.
10. I. C. Wright.

AMERICAN CHAMPIONSHIPS, 1881-1906.

Singles.

1881—R. D. Sears.
1882—R. D. Sears.
1883—R. D. Sears.
1884—R. D. Sears.
1885—R. D. Sears.
1886—R. D. Sears.
1887—R. D. Sears.
1888—W. H. Slocum.
1889—H. W. Slocum.
1890—O. S. Campbell
1891—O. S. Campbell.
1892—O. S. Campbell.
1893—R. D. Wrenn.
1894—R. D. Wrenn.
1895—F. H. Hovey.
1896—R. D. Wrenn.
1897—R. D. Wrenn.
1898—M. D. Whitman.
1899—M. D. Whitman.
1900—M. D. Whitman.
1901—W. A. Larned.
1902—W. A. Larned.
1903—H. L. Doherty.
1904—Holcombe Ward.
1905—Beals C. Wright.
1906—W. J. Clothier.

All-comers.

1881—R. D. Sears.
1882—R. D. Sears.
1883—R. D. Sears.
1884—H. A. Taylor.
1885—G. M. Brinley.
1886—R. L. Beekman.
1887—H. W. Slocum.
1888—H. W. Slocum.
1889—Q. A. Shaw, Jr.
1890—O. S. Campbell.
1891—C. Hobart.
1892—F. H. Hovey.
1893—R. D. Wrenn.
1894—M. F. Goodbody.
1895—F. H. Hovey.
1896—R. D. Wrenn.
1897—Dr. W. V. Eaves.
1898—M. D. Whitman.
1899—J. P. Paret.
1900—W. A. Larned.
1901—W. A. Larned.
1902—R. F. Doherty.
1903—H. L. Doherty.
1904—Holcombe Ward
1905—Beals C. Wright.
1906—W. J. Clothier.

Runners-up.

1881—W. E. Glyn.
1882—C. M. Clark.
1883—James Dwight.
1884—W. V. S. Thorne.
1885—W. P. Knapp.
1886—H. A. Taylor.
1887—H. A. Taylor.
1888—H. A. Taylor.
1889—O. S. Campbell.
1890—W. P. Knapp.
1891—F. H. Hovey.
1892—W. A. Larned.
1893—F. H. Hovey.
1894—W. A. Larned.
1895—W. A. Larned.
1896—W. A. Larned.
1897—H. A. Nesbit.
1898—D. F. Davis.
1899—D. F. Davis.
1900—G. L. Wrenn, Jr.
1901—Beals C. Wright.
1902—M. D. Whitman.
1903—W. J. Clothier.
1904—W. J. Clothier.
1905—Clarence Hobart.
1906—F. B. Alexander.

Doubles.

1881—C. M. Clark and F. W. Taylor.
1882—R. D. Sears and James Dwight.
1883—R. D. Sears and James Dwight.
1884—R. D. Sears and James Dwight.
1885—R. D. Sears and J. S. Clark.
1886—R. D. Sears and James Dwight.
1887—R. D. Sears and James Dwight.
1888—O. S. Campbell and V. G. Hall.
1889—H. W. Slocum and H. A. Taylor.
1890—V. G. Hall and C. Hobart.
1891—O. S. Campbell and R. P. Huntington, Jr.
1892—O. S. Campbell and R. P. Huntington, Jr.
1893—C. Hobart and F. H. Hovey.
1894—C. Hobart and F. H. Hovey.
1895—M. G. Chace and R. D. Wrenn.
1896—C. B. Neel and S. R. Neel.
1897—L. E. Ware and G. P. Sheldon.
1898—L. E. Ware and G. P. Sheldon.
1899—H. Ward and D. F. Davis.
1900—H. Ward and D. F. Davis.
1901—H. Ward and D. F. Davis.
1902—R. F. and H. L. Doherty.
1903—R. F. and H. L. Doherty.
1904—Holcombe Ward and B. C. Wright.
1905—Holcombe Ward and B. C. Wright.
1906—Holcombe Ward and B. C. Wright.

All-comers.

1881—C. M. Clark and F. W. Taylor.
1882—R. D. Sears and James Dwight.
1883—R. D. Sears and James Dwight.
1884—R. D. Sears and James Dwight.
1885—R. D. Sears and J. S. Clark.
1886—R. D. Sears and James Dwight.
1887—R. D. Sears and James Dwight.
1888—O. S. Campbell and V. G. Hall.
1889—H. W. Slocum and H. A. Taylor.
1890—V. G. Hall and C. Hobart.

1891—O. S. Campbell and R. P. Huntington, Jr.
1892—V. G. Hall and E. L. Hall.
1893—C. Hobart and F. H. Hovey.
1894—C. B. Neel and S. R. Neel.
1895—M. G. Chace and R. D. Wrenn.
1896—C. B. Neel and S. R. Neel.
1897—L. E. Ware and G. P. Sheldon.
1898—H. Ward and D. F. Davis.
1899—H. H. Hackett and J. A. Allen.
1900—F. B. Alexander and R. D. Little.
1901—L. E. Ware and Beals C. Wright.
1902—R. F. and H. L. Doherty.
1903—Kreigh Collins and L. H. Waidner.
1904—Holcombe Ward and B. C. Wright.
1905—F. B. Alexander and H. H. Hackett.
1906—F. B. Alexander and H. H. Hackett.

Runners-up.

1881—A. Van Rensselaer and A. E. Newbold.
1882—W. Nightingale and G. M. Smith.
1883—A. Van Rensselaer and A. E. Newbold.
1884—A. Van Rensselaer and W. V. R. Berry.
1885—H. W. Slocum and W. P. Knapp.
1886—H. A. Taylor and G. M. Brinley.
1887—H. A. Taylor and H. W. Slocum.
1888—C. Hobart and E. P. MacMullen.
1889—V. G. Hall and O. S. Campbell.
1890—C. W. Carver and J. A. Ryerson.
1891—S. T. Chase and J. A. Ryerson.
1892—C. W. Carver and J. A. Ryerson.
1893—J. S. Clark and S. T. Chase.
1894—John Howland and A. E. Foote.
1895—H. B. Neel and S. R. Neel.
1896—F. H. Hovey and C. Hobart.
1897—H. S. Mahony and H. A. Nesbit.
1898—H. Ward and D. F. Davis.
1899—Holcombe Ward and D. F. Davis.
1900—H. H. Hackett and J. A. Allen.
1901—F. B. Alexander and R. D. Little.
1902—Kreigh Collins and L. H. Waidner.

1903—Holcombe Ward and L. E. Ware.
1904—Kreigh Collins and R. D. Little.
1905—Kreigh Collins and L. H. Waidner.
1906—The West defaulted.*

Eastern Doubles.

1890—V. G. Hall and C. Hobart.
1891—O. S. Campbell and R. P. Huntington, Jr.
1892—V. G. Hall and E. L. Hall.
1893—Single Tournament at Chicago.
1894—John Howland and A. E. Foote.
1895—M. G. Chace and R. D. Wrenn.
1896—C. Hobart and F. H. Hovey.
1897—H. S. Mahoney and H. A. Nesbit.
1898—G. L. Wrenn and M. D. Whitman.
1899—Holcombe Ward and D. F. Davis.
1900—H. H. Hackett and J. A. Allen.
1901—L. E. Ware and Beals C. Wright.
1902—R. F. and H. L. Doherty.
1903—Holcombe Ward and L. E. Ware.
1904—Holcombe Ward and B. C. Wright.
1905—F. B. Alexander and H. H. Hackett.
1906—F. B. Alexander and H. H. Hackett.

Western Doubles.

1890—C. W. Carver and J. A. Ryerson.
1891—S. T. Chase and J. A. Ryerson.
1892—C. W. Carver and J. A. Ryerson.
1893—Single Tournament at Chicago.
1894—C. B. Neel and S. R. Neel.
1895—C. B. Neel and S. R. Neel.
1896—C. B. Neel and S. R. Neel.
1897—L. E. Ware and G. P. Sheldon.
1898—Holcombe Ward and D. F. Davis.
1899—Harold H. Hackett and J. A. Allen.
1900—F. B. Alexander and R. D. Little.
1901—F. B. Alexander and R. D. Little.
1902—Kreigh Collins and L. H. Waidner.
1903—Kreigh Collins and L. H. Waidner.
1904—Kreigh Collins and R. D. Little.
1905—Kreigh Collins and L. H. Waidner.
1906—L. H. Waidner and Nat Emerson.

* Owing to Mr. Emerson having sprained knee.

WOMEN NATIONAL CHAMPIONS.

Singles.

1887—Miss Alice F. Hansell.
1888—Miss Bertha L. Townsend.
1889—Miss Bertha L. Townsend.
1890—Miss E. C. Roosevelt.
1891—Miss Mabel E. Cahill.
1892—Miss Mabel E. Cahill.
1893—Miss Aline M. Terry.
1894—Miss Helen R. Heling.
1895—Miss J. P. Atkinson.
1896—Miss Elizabeth H. Moore.
1897—Miss J. P. Atkinson.
1898—Miss J. P. Atkinson.
1899—Miss Marion Jones.
1900—Miss Myrtle McAteer.
1901—Miss Elizabeth H. Moore.
1902—Miss Marion Jones.
1903—Miss Elizabeth H. Moore.
1904—Miss May Sutton.
1905—Miss Elizabeth H. Moore.
1906—Miss Helen H. Homans.

Doubles.

1890—Misses E. C. and G. W. Roosevelt.
1891—Miss M. E. Cahill and Mrs. F. Morgan.
1892—Misses M. E. Cahill and A. M. McKinley.
1893—Misses A. M. Terry and H. Butler.
1894—Misses H. R. Heling and J. P. Atkinson.
1895—Misses J. P. Atkinson and H. R. Heling.
1896—Misses E. H. Moore and J. P. Atkinson.
1897—Misses J. P. Atkinson and K. Atkinson.
1898—Misses J. P. Atkinson and K. Atkinson.
1899—Misses M. McAteer and J. Craven.

1900—Misses J. Parker and H. Champlin.
1901—Misses M. McAteer and J. P. Atkinson.
1902—Misses M. Jones and J. P. Atkinson.
1903—Misses E. H. Moore and C. B. Neely.
1904—Misses M. Sutton and M. Hall.
1905—Misses H. H. Homans and C. B. Neely.
1906—Mrs. Coe and Mrs. Platt

INDOOR NATIONAL CHAMPIONS.

Singles.

Champions	Runners up
1900—J. A. Allen	Calhoun Cragin
1901—Holcombe Ward	Calhoun Cragin
1902—J. P. Paret	W. C. Grant
1903—W. C. Grant	Calhoun Cragin
1904—W. C. Grant	C. C. Kelley
1905—E. B. Dewhurst	W. C. Grant
1906—W. C. Grant	E. P. Fischer

Doubles.

Champions	Runners up
1900—J. P. Paret and Calhoun Cragin	H. H. Hackett and J. A. Allen
1901—Calhoun Cragin &O.M.Bostwick	Holcombe Ward & G. H. Miles
1902—W. C. Grant & Robert Le Roy	CalhounCragin &O.M.Bostwick
1903—W. C. Grant & Robert Le Roy	Calhoun Cragin & A. S. Cragin
1904—W. C. Grant & Robert Le Roy	B. C. Wright & R. D. Little
1905—T. R. Pell & H. F. Allen	Calhoun Cragin & C. C. Kelley
1906—F. B. Alexander & H. H. Hackett	W. C. Grant & I. C. Wright

WINNERS OF CHAMPIONSHIPS, 1906.

Singles Championships.

International—(Canada) Irving C. Wright, Longwood.
Intercollegiate—Robert LeRoy.
Interscholastic—J. A. Ross, Chicago.
Indoor Championship—W. C. Grant.
Women's National—Miss H. H. Homans, West Side T. C. N. Y.
United States—W. J. Clothier, Merion C. C., Phila.

Doubles Championships.

Indoor Championship—F. Alexander and H. H. Hackett.
Massachusetts—I. C. Wright and Edgar Leonard.
United States—Holcombe Ward and Beals C. Wright.

STATE CHAMPIONSHIPS.

California—H. Long, San Francisco.
Central Iowa—H. L. Byers, Grinnell.
Colorado Springs—C. P. Dodge.
Connecticut—John H. Chase, Saybrook.
Delaware—P. B. Hawke, Philadelphia.
Gulf States—Nat. Thornton.
Illinois—L. H. Waidner, Chicago.
Iowa State—Walter T. Hayes, Toledo, Iowa.
Kentucky—Dr. Karl F. Little.
Maryland—E. H. Dewhurst, Philadelphia.
Massachusetts—Chauncy Seaver, Boston.
Middle West States—Walter T. Hayes.
Minnesota—H. I. Belden, St. Paul, Minn.
Missouri—Ralph McKittrick.
Montana—D. D. McLaughlin, Great Falls.
New Jersey—F. G. Anderson, New York.
New York—H. H. Hackett, New York.
North Dakota—T. N. Jayne.

Ohio—G. L. Wyeth, New York
Oregon State—Walter A. Goss, Portland.
Pennsylvania—W. J. Clothier, Philadelphia.
Rhode Island—R. N. Dana, Pawtucket.
South Dakota—John Wheeler, Brookings.
Tennessee—R. G. Hunt, California.
Tri-State, Ohio, Indiana and Kentucky—Beals C. Wright.
Utah State—James Salisbury, Salt Lake City.
Vermont—Semp Russ, San Antonio, Tex.
Virginia—H. G. Whitehead, Norfolk, Va.
Washington State—F. T. Payne.
Wisconsin—Ruben G. Hunt, Alameda, Cal.
West Virginia—Everett Drennen

SECTIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS.

New England—Played at New Haven

YEAR	CHAMPION	WINNER OF TOURNAMENT	DOUBLES CHAMPIONS
1886.	H. W. Slocum.	H. W. Slocum.	H. W. Slocum and W. L. Thatcher.
1887.	H. W. Slocum.	H. W. Slocum.	F. G. Beach and W. L. Thatcher.
1888.	H. W. Slocum.	E. P. MacMullen.	O. S. Campbell and V. G. Hall.
1889.	H. W. Slocum.	R. P. Huntington, Jr.	F. G. Beach and R. P. Huntington, Jr.
1890.	R. P. Huntington, Jr.	R. P. Huntington, Jr.	R. P. Huntington, Jr., and O. S. Campbell.
1891.	C. T. Lee.	C. T. Lee.	C. T. Lee and F. G. Beach.
1892.	E. L. Hall.	E. L. Hall.	E. L. Hall and A. E. Wright.
1893.	C. Hobart.	C. Hobart.	J. F. Talmage, Jr., and C. Hobart.
1894.	A. E. Foote.	A. E. Foote.	John Howland and A. E. Foote.
1895.	John Howland.	John Howland.	M. G. Chase and A. E. Foote.
1896.	A. E. Foote.	A. E. Foote.	M. G. Chase and A. E. Foote.
1897.	T. A. Driscoll.	T. A. Driscoll.	R. Hooker and C. P. Dodge.
1898.	No tournament.		
1899.	A. E. Foote.	A. E. Foote.	H. H. Hackett and J. A. Allen.
1900.	No tournament.		

New England—Played at Hartford.

1901.	C. Hobart.	C. Hobart.	Hobart and Day.
1902.	C. Hobart.	James Terry.	J. Terry and F. E. Howard.
1903.	James Terry.	James Terry.	J. Terry and F. E. Howard.
1904.	Beals C. Wright.	Beals C. Wright.	W. C. Grant and Robert LeRoy.
1905.	Karl Behr.	Karl Behr.	W. C. Grant and Robert LeRoy.
1906.	Karl Behr.	T. R. Pell.	T. R. Pell and W. C. Grant

Middle States—Played at Hoboken, Rochester and Orange.

YEAR	CHAMPION	WINNER OF TOURNAMENT	DOUBLES CHAMPIONS
1885.	R. D. Sears.	R. D. Sears.	R. D. Sears and J. S. Clark.
1886.	R. L. Beeckman.	R. L. Beeckman.	R. L. Beeckman and H. W. Slocum.
1887.	R. L. Beeckman	R. L. Beeckman.	
1888.	E. P. MacMullen.	E. P. MacMullen.	
1889.	H. A. Taylor.	H. A. Taylor.	
1890.	H. A. Taylor.	A. E. Wright.	
1891.	C. E. Sands.	C. E. Sands.	
1892.	R. Stevens.	R. Stevens.	E. P. MacMullen and C. Hobart.
1893.	R. Stevens.	A. E. Foote.	D. Chandler and J. F. Talmage, Jr.
1894.	W. A. Larned	W. A. Larned.	W. G. Parker and E. P. Fischer.
1895.	W. A. Larned.	John Howland.	C. Hobart and E. P. Fischer.
1896.	C. Hobart.	C. Hobart.	C. Hobart and R. D. Wrenn.
1897.	W. A. Larned.	W. A. Larned.	L. E. Ware and G. P. Sheldon
1898.	M. D. Whitman.	M. D. Whitman.	L. E. Ware and J. D. Forbes.
1899.	M. D. Whitman.	W. A. Larned.	Holcombe Ward and D. F. Davis.
1900.	M. D. Whitman.	D. F. Davis.	H. Ward and D. F. Davis.
1901.	W. A. Larned.	W. A. Larned.	W. A. Larned and C. Hobart.
1902.	H. Ward.	H. Ward.	H. Ward and D. F. Davis.
1903.	S. C. Millett.	S. C. Millett.	R. D. and G. L. Wrenn.
1904.	Clarence Hobart.	Clarence Hobart.	R. D. and G. L Wrenn.
1905.	F. B. Alexander.	F. B. Alexander.	F. B. Alexander and H. H. Hackett.
1906.	W. A. Larned.	W. A. Larned.	W. A. Larned and W. J. Clothier.

Southern States—Played at Washington, Wilmington and Baltimore

YEAR	CHAMPION	WINNER OF TOURNAMENT	DOUBLES CHAMPIONS
1886.	C. B. Davis.	C. B. Davis.	C. B. Davis and R. H. E. Porter.
1887.	Leigh Bonsal.	Leigh Bonsal.	Leigh Bonsal and L. V. Lemoyne.
1888.	A. H. S. Post.	A. H. S. Post.	Leigh Bonsal and L. V. Lemoyne.
1888.	F. Mansfield.	F. Mansfield.	F. Mansfield and F. L. V. Hoppin.
1889.	F. Mansfield.	C. J. Post, Jr.	C. J. Post, Jr., and M. F. Prosser.
1890.	A. E. Wright.	A. E. Wright.	
1891.	E. L. Hall.	E. L. Hall.	M. R. Wright and H. M. Billings.
1892.	E. L. Hall.	A. E. Wright.	
1893.	E. L. Hall.	M. G. Chase.	E. L. Hall and C. Hobart.
1894.	W. G. Parker.	W. G. Parker.	W. G. Parker and E. P. Fischer.
1895.	A. H. S. Post.	A. H. S. Post.	J. P. Paret and R. D. Thurber.
1896.	J. P. Paret.	J. P. Paret.	J. C. Davidson and J. P. Paret.
1897.	T. A. Driscoll.	T. A. Driscoll.	J. C. Davidson and J. P. Paret.
1898.	J. C. Davidson.	J. C. Davidson.	J. C. Davidson and J. P. Paret.
1899.	J. C. Davidson.	J. P. Paret.	J. C. Davidson and J. P. Paret.
1900.	J. P. Paret.	J. P. Paret.	J. C. Davidson and J. P. Paret.
1901.	R. D. Little.	R. D. Little.	F. B. Alexander and R. D. Little.
1902.	R. D. Little.	J. Georghegan.	J. P. Paret and W. Grant.
1903.	J. Geoghegan.	J. Geoghegan.	W. C. Grant and Robert LeRoy.
1904.	H. F. Allen.	H. F. Allen.	J. C. Davidson and L. W. Glazebrook.
1905.	J. C. Davidson.	J. C. Davidson.	J. C. Davidson and L. W. Glazebrook.

Southern States—Played at Atlanta, Ga.

1906.	R. G. Hunt.	R. G. Hunt.	B. M. Grant and Nat Thornton.

Western States—Played at Chicago.

YEAR	CHAMPION	WINNER OF TOURNAMENT	DOUBLES CHAMPIONS
1887.	C. A. Chase.	C. A. Chase.	E. B. McLellan and B. F. Cummins.
1888.	C. A. Chase.	E. B. McLellan.	E. B. McLellan and B. F. Cummins.
1889.	C. A. Chase.	S. T. Chase.	C. A. and S. T. Chase.
1890.	C. A. Chase.	E. B. McLellan.	J. W. Carver and J. A. Ryerson.
1891.	S. T. Chase.	S. T. Chase.	S. T. Chase and J. A. Ryerson.
1892.	S. T. Chase.	J. A. Ryerson.	J. W. Carver and J. A. Ryerson.
1893.	S. T. Chase.	E. Wrenn.	H. McCormick and S. McCormick.
1894.	S. T. Chase.	C. B. Neel.	C. B. Neel and S. R. Neel.
1895.	C. B. Neel.	C. B. Neel.	C. B. Neel and S. R. Neel.
1896.	C. B. Neel.	G. L. Wrenn, Jr.	C. B. Neel and S. R. Neel.
1897.	Kriegh Collins.	Kriegh Collins.	L. E. Ware and G. P. Sheldon.
1898.	Kriegh Collins.	Kriegh Collins.	H. Ward and D. F. Davis.
1899.	C. B. Neal.	C. B. Neel.	H. H. Hackett and J. A. Allen.
1900.	Kriegh Collins.	Kriegh Collins.	F. B. Alexander and R. D. Little.
1901.	R. D. Little.	R. D. Little.	F. B. Alexander and R. D. Little.
1902.	Kriegh Collins.	Kriegh Collins.	Kriegh Collins and L. H. Waidner.
1903.	Kriegh Collins.	A. C. Snow.	Kriegh Collins and L. H. Waidner.
1904.	Kriegh Collins.	R. D. Little.	Kriegh Collins and R. D. Little.
1905.	Kriegh Collins.	N. Emerson.	Kriegh Collins and L. H. Waidner.
1906.	Kriegh Collins.	Nat Emerson.	L. H. Waidner and Nat Emerson.

Pacific States—Played in California.

1899.	W. H. Taylor, Jr.	W. H. Taylor, Jr.	
1900.	H. W. Taylor, Jr.	C. R. Gates.	Walter McGavin and Joseph S. Tobin.
1901.	W. H. Taylor, Jr.	C. P. Hubbard.	C. P. Hubbard and H. H. Haight.
1902.	W. H. Taylor, Jr.	C. P. Hubbard.	Sumner and Samuel Hardy.
1903.	T. A. Driscoll.	T. A. Driscoll.	Sumner and Samuel Hardy.
1894.	Samuel Hardy.	Samuel Hardy.	T. A. Driscoll and G. B. DeLong.
1895.	Sumner Hardy.	Sumner Hardy.	Sumner and Samuel Hardy.
1896.	Samuel Hardy.	Samuel Hardp.	G. F. and R. N. Whitney.
1897.	G. F. Whitney.	G. F. Whitney.	Sumner and Samuel Hardy.

Pacific States—Played in California—Continued.

YEAR	CHAMPION	WINNER OF TOURNAMENT	DOUBLES CHAMPIONS
1898.	Sumner Hardy.	Sumner Hardy.	Sumner and Samuel Hardy.
1899.	G. F. Whitney.	G. F. Whitney.	Sumner and Samuel Hardy.
1900.	G. F. Whitney.	Sumner Hardy.	G. F. and R. N. Whitney.
1901.	G. F. Whitney.	A. E. Bell.	G. F. and R. N. Whitney.
1902.	L. R. Freeman.	L. R. Freeman.	L. R. Freeman and A. E. Bell.
1903.	A. E. Bell.	A. E. Bell.	L. R. Freeman and A. E. Bell.
1904.	D. MacGavin.	D. MacGavin.	George Baker and W. Allen.
1905.	G. Janes.	G. Janes.	Sinsabaugh and Braly.
1906.	H. Long	H. Long	

New York State—Played at Saratoga and Syracuse

1891.	F. H. Hovey.	F. H. Hovey.	F. H. Hovey and H. C. Bixby.
1892.	W. P. Knapp.	W. P. Knapp.	V. G. and E. L. Hall.
1893.	C. Hobart.	C. Hobart.	F. H. Hovey and C. Hobart.
1894.	C. Hobart.	C. R. Budlong.	C. Hobart and C. R. Budlong.
1895.	No tournament.		
1896.	No tournament.		
1897.	No tournament.		
1898.	M. D. Whitman.	M. D. Whitman.	M. D. Whitman and R. H. Carleton.
1899.	M. D. Whitman.	E. P. Fischer.	J. P. Paret and R. D. Little.
1900.	M. D. Whitman.	H. H. Hackett.	F. B. Alexander and R. D. Little.

New York State—Played at Buffalo

1901.	E. P. Fischer.	W. J. Clothier.	H. Hodge and C. Smithers.

New York State—Played at Syracuse

1902.	F. B. Alexander.	F. B. Alexander.	F. B. Alexander and James Randall.
1903.	F. B. Alexander.	R. Hunt.	H. F. Allen and Robert LeRoy.
1904.	F. B. Alexander.	A. E. Bell.	A. E. Bell and R. H. Hunt.
1905.	No tournament.		

New York State—Played at Staten Island, N. Y.

1906.	H. H. Hackett.	H. H. Hackett.	T. R. Pell and Torrance.

OPEN TOURNAMENTS.

Wentworth.

YEAR	SINGLES	DOUBLES
1885.	W. V. R. Berry.	W. P. Knapp and H. W. Slocum.
1886.	J. S. Clark.	J. S. Clark and H. A. Taylor.
1887.	H. W. Slocum.	G. M. Brinley and J. S. Clark.
1888.	C. A. Chase.	P. S. Sears and Q. A. Shaw, Jr.
1889.	C. A. Chase.	A. E. Wright and A. L. Williston.
1890.	G. W. Lee.	J. W. Carver and J. A. Ryerson.
1891.	F. H. Hovey.	F. H. Hovey and H. Tallant.
1892.	F. H. Hovey.	F. H. Hovey and H. G. Bixby.
1893.	R. D. Wrenn.	R. D. Wrenn and M. G. Chace.
1894.	W. G. Parker.	W. G. Parker and C. R. Budlong.
1895.	L. E. Ware.	L. E. Ware and W. M. Scudder.
1896.	E. P. Fischer.	E. P. Fischer and C. R. Budlong.
1897.	G. P. Sheldon.	L. E. Ware and G. P. Sheldon.
1898.	E. F. Fischer.	E. P. Fischer and C. R. Budlong.
1899.	Beals C. Wright.	E. P. Fischer and W. S. Bond.
1900.	H. H. Hackett.	Sumner and Samuel Hardy.
1901.	C. Hobart.	F. B. Alexander and R. D. Little.
1902.	H. H. Hackett.	Beals and Irving Wright.
1903.	H. F. Allen.	Beals and Irving Wright.
1904.	A. E. Bell.	Beals C. Wright and F. Sulloway.
1905.	Frank Sulloway.	F. Sulloway and N. W. Niles.
1906.	Irving C. Wright.	Irving C. Wright and C. Johnson.

CHALLENGE CUP TOURNAMENTS.

Longwood Challenge Cup.

YEAR	HOLDER	WINNER OF TOURNAMENT
1891.	E. L. Hall.	E. L. Hall.
1892.	F. H. Hovey.	F. H. Hovey.
1893.	F. H. Hovey.	R. Stevens.
1894.	W. A. Larned.	W. A. Larned.
1895.	W. A. Larned.	F. H. Hovey.
1896.	R. D. Wrenn.	R. D. Wrenn.
1897.	W. A. Larned.	W. A. Larned.
1898.	M. D. Whitman.	M. D. Whitman.
1899.	M. D. Whitman.	D. F. Davis.
1900.	M. D. Whitman.	D. F. Davis.
1901.	W. A. Larned.	W. A. Larned.
1902.	W. J. Clothier.	W. J. Clothier.
1903.	W. A. Larned.	W. A. Larned.
1904.	W. A. Larned.	H. Ward.
1905.	W. A. Larned.	C. Hobart.
1906.	W. A. Larned.	Karl Behr.

INTERNATIONAL CUP MATCHES OF 1906.

For the Davis Trophy.

AS in the previous year the U. S. N. L. T. A. decided to send a team of four abroad to compete for the Davis Trophy. The players were carefully selected and after four weeks of hard practice at Philadelphia, Knollwood C. C. and Crescent A. C. the team sailed. Ward and Wright were the surviving members of the 1905 team while Little and Collins took Larned and Clothier's places. During the preliminary play, Wright was playing remarkable tennis, at least half fifteen above his form of 1905 but just before sailing he met with a serious accident that resulted in blood poisoning which caused the loss of his finger and prevented his playing. Ward was playing about the same as the year before when he made such an excellent showing and Little had improved greatly. Collins, however, could not seem to "get back" being ex tremely erratic.

It was expected that America would play France at Liverpool but owing to the inability of the Frenchmen to put forth a first-class team they defaulted and Belgium and Austria did not enter for the same reason.

Australasia was not represented by as strong a team as in 1905, being without their best players Brookes and Dunlop. Wilding the first man on the team this year had been playing in the south of France all winter, consequently his game had improved greatly. Poidivin, Wilding's partner, did not take tennis seriously as he was playing on one of the leading Cricket elevens. In the first match Little beat Poidivin rather easily by 3 sets to love. It was the general opinion that Ward would beat Wilding but predictions were falsified when after a struggle of brilliant tennis both players serving and volleying accurately, Wilding won a close five-set match. The result was now much in doubt for counting on records, Wilding would beat Little and Ward would win over Poidivin. This was correct Ward winning by 3 straight sets as did Wilding. The result was to be determined by the Double match

and as neither team had played more than once or twice together the chances were even. The first set was extremely close finally being won after exceptional overhead play by the Americans. This apparently discouraged the Australasians as their play fell off badly losing the next two sets, 6-2, 6-4.

By beating Australasia it allowed America to challenge England and play at Wimbledon, where the American team went at once for practice having kindly been offered the use of the club and grounds by the English Lawn Tennis Association.

After hard daily practice it was decided to play the same team against England as played at Newport, Collins playing better but not near up to form while Wright was still in the hospital. The English team was composed of H. L. and R. F. Doherty in Doubles and H. L. Doherty and S. H. Smith in Singles with A. W. Gore as a first substitute. This made a hard team to defeat but the Americans thought there was a good chance for victory as both Ward and Little were in far better form than at Newport.

As in the first international matches there was a great interest shown by the spectators and as usual the Americans were most enthusiastic. The "centre" or Championship court was in absolutely perfect condition and all the fixtures were arranged so that the players were handicapped in no way. The ball boys were well trained and the linesmen are to be congratulated for their competency, as all decisions were quick and accurate, thanks to the committee for their careful selection.

The results of the matches were naturally a disappointment as three of the five were won in straight sets. The Doubles match was close and exciting and well-played, the first set being won by more brilliant play and better generalship on the part of the Americans. The next two sets were won by the Dohertys, 11-9, 9-7, only after the keenest kind of play. They won by their greatest steadiness and accuracy.

American lawn tennis followers, however, do not think that it is impossible to recapture the Davis trophy and the committee are seriously considering sending a team abroad in 1907, providing the three or four players the committee select are able to make the trip. It will do a great deal to cement a still closer friendship between the countries and it is hoped by all lovers of the sport a team will be sent.

Challenge Round.

America vs. British Isles.

DAVIS INTERNATIONAL CUP

Singles.

S. H. Smith, (British Isles) beat R. D. Little (America) 6-4, 6-4, 6-1. H. L. Doherty (British Isles) beat Holcombe Ward (America) 6-2, 8-6, 6-3. S. H. Smith (British Isles) beat H. Ward (America) 6-1, 6-0, 6-4. H. L. Doherty (British Isles) beat R. D. Little (America) 3-6, 11-9, 9-7, 6-1.

Doubles.

R. F. Doherty and H. L. Doherty (British Isles) beat H. Ward and R. D. Little (America) 3-6, 11-9, 9-7, 6-1.

FINAL OF DAVIS CUP.

Ward (America) beat Poidivin (Australasia) 6-2, 6-4, 7-5. Wilding (Australasia) beat Little (America) 6-2, 8-6, 6-1.

Little (America) beat Poidivin (Australasia) 6-2, 1-6, 6-4, 6-2. Wilding (Australasia) beat Ward (America) 6-3, 3-6, 0-6, 6-4, 8-6.

Doubles: Ward and Little (America) beat Wilding and Poidivin (Australasia) 7-5, 6-2, 6-4.

WOMEN'S NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP.

THE twentieth anniversary of the Women's National Championship was held again at Wissahickon, the home of the Philadelphia Cricket Club, during the week of June 19. Unfortunately the weather was not all that could be desired as a particularly rainy week was encountered, but while it rained practically every day it was fortunate that the showers came in the morning and the excellent courts dried and play was possible in the afternoons.

A large and representative list of entries made the Tournament particularly successful. There were 34 entries in the Women's Singles, 16 pairs in the Doubles. 19 pairs in the Mixed Doubles and in the Invitation Men's Singles 35 entries.

The preliminary rounds did not bring forth anything very remarkable in the way of close contests, but the third round brought together Miss Edith Rotch of Boston and Miss Clover Boldt of New York. Miss Rotch will be remembered as a former contestant at Wissahickon, while this was Miss Boldt's first appearance.

Miss Boldt put up a strong game but the experience of her opponent proved too much for the newcomer and Miss Rotch won by the score of 6-1, 4-6, 6-0.

Mrs. Barger-Wallach of the Newport Casino Club easily won from Miss McCall of the Belmont Club of Philadelphia, but Miss Homans seemed to have some trouble with Miss Harlan the Philadelphia Champion. Miss Homans lost the first set, 6-4, but won the succeeding sets, 6-3 and 6-4.

In the Semi-Finals Miss Homans met Miss Rotch and after a nice match won it, 6-2, 6-3. In the other half of the racket Mrs. Barger-Wallach met Mrs. Toulmin a former champion. Mrs. Barger-Wallach was successful winning by 6-2, 6-3. The final match, played on the grand stand court bought out a large gallery. Mrs. Barger-Wallach's puzzling underhand service, coupled with her very strong forearm drives appeared to have Miss Homans completely at sea and she quickly ran up four games. With the score 4-1 against her Miss Homans displayed more confidence and playing her shots with splendid length and

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Lady Champion of the United States

accuracy quickly took the next three games evening the score and in addition to that ran out the set winning the first set 6-4. Her able and up-hill work in this set was remarkable and thoroughly appreciated and enjoyed by the large gallery. The second set Miss Homans played with greater confidence and won out handily 6-3. Miss Moore did not defend her Championship and therefore Miss Homans became National Champion.

The Women's Doubles brought together in the Finals, Mrs. Coe and Mrs. Platt of Englewood, N. J., and Miss Homans and Miss Boldt, the latter having won a very hard match from Miss Coffin and Miss Johnson of Staten Island, 6-2, 3-6, and 6-2. The Finals brought out very pretty tennis chiefly in the very long rallies. Mrs. Coe and Mrs. Platt both playing the back court game and lobbing with great accuracy and success won the title. The score of the winners was, 6-4, 6-4.

In the Mixed Doubles there was considerable upset. Miss Homans was paired with Mr. R. C. Seaver, Massachusetts State Champion, Miss Boldt with Mr. N. W. Niles, Intercollegiate Champion, Miss Coffin, Staten Island with Mr. Dewhurst, Pennsylvania State Champion. On papers it would seem that these three pairs would have to fight it out for the final place. The first round brought together Miss Homans and Mr. Seaver against Mrs. M. C. Work of the Merion Cricket Club and Mr. C. M. Bunting. Mr. Seaver and Miss Homans promptly took the first set 6-0, and it looked like a walk over, but Mrs. Work and Mr. Bunting were not to be denied and quickly won the next set, 6-3 and the third set, 6-1. This victory was a very favorable one from a Philadelphia standpoint. Also in the first round Miss Boldt and Mr. Niles met Miss Margaret Johnson and Mr. Johnson of Staten Island and the family team work was too much for the New York expert and the Intercollegiate Champion had to acknowledge defeat after a very stubborn match by the score 8-6, 6-4. In the upper half of the bracket Miss Coffin and Mr. Dewhurst had easy sailing and in the finals met Mr. Johnson and Miss Johnson. This latter pair defeated in the semi-finals Mrs. Toulmin and Mr. H. C. Townsend and after a long and interesting match won it by score of 6-4, 5-7. 6-4. The final match was won by Miss Coffin and Mr. Dewhurst, 6-3, 7-5.

The large event in the Invitation Men's Singles was most enjoyable to all the contestants and in the final round brought together E. B. Dewhurst and R. C. Seaver, Mr. Dewhurst winning, 6-3, 7-5.

Aside from the weather which necessitated the playing some of the finals on Monday of the following week the tournament was a great success the entries being large in number and representative in character.

LONGWOOD TOURNAMENT.

THE annual Longwood Open Tournament and the Eastern Doubles Championship were held on the courts of the Longwood Cricket Club, during the week of July 23. Favored by a high-class entry list and an enthusiastic gallery throughout the week, the Tournaments proved to be among the most successful ever conducted by the Longwood Club.

With the exception of the members of the American International team, Holcombe Ward, Beals Wright, R. D. Little and Kreigh Collins, most of the prominent ranked men of the country competed in one or both events.

In the Singles, the draw was very evenly divided. The Finals came down to W. J. Clothier and K. Behr, who from the first were the logical favorites for the place. The match resulted in a victory for Behr, who played a very swift and brilliant game. In justice to Clothier, however, it must be admitted that he did not play the game of which he is capable, though Behr's tactics may have been responsible for this.

Challenge match between Larned and Behr, brought together two men, who understood thoroughly each other's game. The match was an exceptionally exciting and hard hitting contest and was won by Larned, only through superior steadiness and longer sustained periods of brilliancy.

Scores:

Singles.

First Round: C. G. Plimpton beat J. I. Litchfield, 6-2, 6-3, 6-3. R. C. Seaver beat R. D. Little, by default. W. F. Johnson beat W. E. Putnam, Jr., 4-6, 6-2,, 9-7 2-6, 7-5. F. C. Colston beat P. Fosdick 6-0, 6-1, 6-1. R. Bishop beat A. W. Lincoln, 6-0, 6-1, 6-3. A. Stillman beat Jos. Dwight, 6-2, 4-6, 6-3, 6-1. Robt. LeRoy beat W. A. Carl 7-5, 6-4, 6-3. P. L. Schuler beat C. H. Farber, 7-5, 6-3, 8-6. S. F. Wise beat A. R. Rotch, 6-3, 6-2. 6-4. J. O. Ames beat C. S. Brigham, 6-2, 6-8, 6-4, 6-4. I. C. Wright beat G. T. Putnam, 7-5, 7-5, 6-3, E. Page beat R. F. Foster, 6-3, 6-1, 6-3. A. L. Hoskins beat C. B. Wilbar, 8-6, 6-1, 3-6, 6-3.

Second Round: C. M. Bull, Jr., beat E. Schlesinger by default. H, J. Holt beat T. B. Plimpton, 6-1, 6-3, 6-3. R. S. Lovering beat R. L. James, 6-4, 6-3, 6-1. D. L. Pickman, Jr., beat A. N. Reggio, 5-7, 4-6 6-1, 6-2, 6-2. W. J. Clothier beat C. A. Barker, 6-1, 6-1, 6-2. W. A. Bradford beat F. B. Taylor, 6-3, 4-6, 6-2, 6-8, 6-4. A. Sweetzer beat G. E. Howard, Jr., 6-0, 7-5, 0-6, 6-2. Norman Cabot beat P. B. Hawk, 6-3, 6-1, default. A. W. Reggio beat F. J. Sulloway by default. N. W. Niles beat P. D. Jones by default. H. R. Scott beat A. Holmes, 6-4, 6-4, 6-2. E. B. Dewhurst beat H. B. Register, 6-0, 6-1, 5-7, 4-6, 6-4. C. F. Watson, Jr., beat C. G. Plimpton, 1-6, 6-4, 6-3, 6-1. R. C. Seaver beat W. F. Johnson, 6-3, 0-6, 2-6, 7-5, 6-1. F. C. Colston beat R. Bishop, 4-6, 6-3, 7-5, 6-1. Robt. LeRoy beat A. Stillman, 9-7, 10-8, 3-6, 4-6, 6-3. S. F. Wise beat P. L. Schuler, 4-6, 6-3, 6-0, 6-0. I. C. Wright beat J. O. Ames, 6-8, 6-0, 6-3, 6-1. A. L. Hoskins beat E. Page, 1-6, 1-6, 6-4, 6-4, 6-2. R. Hooker beat H. Torrance, Jr., by default. T. R. Pell beat E. T. Gross, 7-5, 6-3, 6-1. J. S. Lovering beat G. A. Keyes by default. G. F. Wales beat L. T. Wallis, 4-6, 7-5, 9-7, 6-4. K. Behr beat Godfrey Cabot, 6-3, 6-0, 6-1. N. P. Hallowel, beat S. A. Beardsley, 7-5, 6-0, 6-1. E. R. Spear beat S. Henshaw, 6-1, 11-9, 6-3. A. W. Jackson beat S. Blair, 6-0, 6-1, 6-1. F. G. Anderson beat H. A. Mackinney, 6-1, 6-1, 6-1. R. N. Dana beat E. N. Pickman, 6-2, 6-3, 6-0. A. S. Dabney, Jr., beat A. H. Barnard, 6-2, 6-0, 6-1. J. D. E. Jones beat H. A. Davis, 6-2, 6-1, 6-0. J. B. Read beat G. P. Gardner, 6-0, 6-4, 7-5.

Third Round: C. M. Bull, Jr., beat H. J. Holt, 1-6, 4-6, 6-3, 6-3, 6-4. R. S. Lovering beat D. L. Pickman, 6-4, 6-2, 6-1. W. J. Clothier beat W. A. Bradford, 6-1, 6-2, 6-2. Norman Cabot beat A. Sweetzer, 3-6, 3-6, 6-0, 6-4, 6-1. N. W. Niles beat A. W. Reggio, 6-0, 6-0, 6-0. E. B. Dewhurst beat H. R. Scott by default. C. F. Watson, Jr., beat R. C. Seaver, 6-0, 1-6, 6-3, 3-6, 6-2. Robert LeRoy beat F. C. Colston, 6-0, 6-4, 1-6, 6-2. I. C. Wright beat S. F. Wise ,6-4, 6-0, 6-2. R. Hooker beat A. L. Hoskins, 6-1, 6-1, 6-0. T. R. Pell beat J. S. Lovering, 6-1, 6-0, 6-0. K. Behr beat G. F. Wales, 6-4, 6-2, 6-1. N. P. Hallowell beat E. R. Speare, 4-6, 6-3, 6-2, 6-3. F. G. Anderson beat A. W. Jackson, 6-4, 6-1, 6-2. R. N. Dana beat A. S. Dabney, Jr., 7-9, 6-1, 6-1, 6-2. J. D. E. Jones beat J. B. Read, 6-3, 6-0, 6-2.

Fourth Round: C. M. Bull, Jr., beat R. S. Lovering, 8-10, 6-1, 6-4, 8-6. W. J. Clothier beat Norman Cabot, 6-3, 6-2, 6-2. E. B. Dewhurst beat N. W. Niles, 6-2, 6-4, 4-6, 6-3. Robert LeRoy beat C. F. Watson, Jr., 6-2, 6-4, 4-6, 6-3. I. C. Wright beat R. Hooker, 6-8, 3-6,

6-0, 6-2, 6-3. K. Behr beat T. R. Pell, 7-5, 7-9, 6-1, 6-4. F. G. Anderson beat N. P. Hallowell, 6-4, 7-5, 6-3. J. D. E. Jones beat R. N. Dana. 7-5, 6-4, 3-6, 2-6, 6-2.

Fifth Round: W. J. Clothier beat C. M. Bull, Jr., 6-2, 6-2, 6-4. E. B. Dewhurst beat Robert LeRoy, 6-3, 4-6, 3-6, 6-3, 6-3. K. Behr beat I. C. Wright, 9-7, 6-4, 6-3. F. G. Anderson beat J. D. E. Jones, 6-4, 6-1, 6-3.

Semi-final Round: W. J. Clothier beat E. B. Dewhurst, 6-8, 6-0, 6-3, 6-4. K. Behr beat F. G. Anderson, 6-3, 6-2, 6-0.

Final Round: K. Behr beat W. J. Clothier, 6-1, 8-6, 6-4.

Challenge Round: W. A. Larned beat K. Behr, 8-6, 3-6, 6-2, 6-3.

EASTERN DOUBLES.

FORTY pairs entered this tournament which was held as usual at the Longwood C. C. of which the best were Hackett and Alexander, Larned and Clothier, and G. L. Wrenn, Jr., and Fincke, but there were a number of other pairs which might have won a fairly good tournament. At the top of the list C. F. Watson, Jr., and F. C. Colston and I. C. Wright and R. Bishop both won easily till they met in the fourth round, when the former won. In the same round Anderson and J. D. E. Jones met Hackett and Alexander and lost in straight sets. The latter pair had met Wrenn and Fincke in the second round and has won three sets love, though the second and third sets were both 8-6. In the fifth round they beat Watson and Colston easily which brought them into the final.

In the lower half of the draw N. P. Hallowell and S. P. Ware beat Pell and LeRoy in a five-set match, and H. C. and C. F. Johnson beat Dewhurst and Holt three sets to one.

Dana and Gross had a hard match with Seaver and Putnam but after that they won fairly easily till they met Clothier and Larned in the semi-final, when they lost, 4-6, 9-7, 6-2, 6-2.

It was evident from the beginning of the tournament, that except for Wrenn and Fincke, either Hackett and Alexander or Clothier and Larned must win.

The Final proved to be a great match. Clothier and Larned won the first game with the service and also their opponents service on the next game, so that they easily came to 3-0, but they in turn, lost the seventh on their service and the score went evenly to 8-7, when they again won against the service, 9-7.

In the second set Clothier and Larned won the service in the first game but lost their advantage in the third game. In the sixth they again won and kept their lead to 6-5, when Hackett and Alexander took their own service twice and their opponents once. 8-6.

. The third set was one-sided, Clothier and Larned won their service twice and never their opponents, 6-2.

In the fourth set it seemed to be Hackett and Alexander's as they were

40 love and 5-4, but they lost the game and though they won their service twice more they lost the set at 10-8.

The last set was 6-3 for Hackett and Alexander. They kept the lead after two-all and won partly by better condition and partly by steadier play.

Alexander won the most points, but he made a good many mistakes. Clothier made the smallest number of errors of the four.

Scores:

Doubles.

First Round: A. B. Rotch and L. T. Wallis beat P. L. Schuyler and A. Sweetzer, 5-7, 9-7, 6-4, 3-6, 8-6. J. S. and J. R. Lovering beat W. F. Johnson and H. B. Register, 9-7, 6-0, 6-0. G. L. Wrenn and R. Fincke beat J. Post and P. Dalton, 6-1, 6-0, 6-0. H. H. Hackett and F. B. Alexander beat G. I. Wales and E. R. Speare ,6-2, 6-2, 6-2. T. R. Pell and R. LeRoy beat G. R. Plimpton and A. H. Barnard, 6-1, 6-2, 6-1. N. P. Hallowell and S. P. Ware beat C. C. Rumrill and J. Warren, 6-4, 6-3, 6-3. E. B. Dewhurst and H. J. Holt beat R. D. Little and K. Behr by default. H. C. Johnson and C. F. Johnson beat R. F. Foster and C. H. Farber, 6-1, 6-2, 6-1.

Second Round: P. H. Haughton and G. R. Fearing, Jr., beat E. Page and W. A. Bradford, 6-1, 6-2, 5-7, 6-3. C. F. Watson, Jr., and F. C. Colston beat H. A. Mackinney and S. Henshaw, 6-1, 6-3, 6-2. I. C. Wright and R. Bishop beat A. Stillman and C. Frothingham, 6-2, 7-5, 6-2. J. B. Read and A. W. Jackson beat G. S. Keyes and Chase by default. F. G. Anderson and J. D. E. Jones beat P. B. Hawk and R. L. James, 6-4, 6-4, 6-1. A. Holmes and P. Fosdick beat Cassels and W. P. Blodhet by default. J. S. and J. R. Lovering beat A. B. Rotch and L. T. Wallis, 3-6, 6-3, 6-4, 6-2. H. H. Hackett and F. B. Alexander beat G. L. Wrenn and R. Fincke, 6-2, 8-6, 8-6. N. P. Hallowell and S. P. Ware beat T. R. Pell and R. LeRoy, 6-3, 5-7, 1-6, 6-3, 6-3. H. C. and C. F. Johnson beat E. B. Dewhurst and H. J. Holt, 8-6, 6-2, 1-6, 6-4. R. Hooker and C. M. Bull, Jr., beat C. Bishop and W. Macomber, 6-3, 6-0, 6-1. W. J. Clothier and W. A. Larned beat S. W. Warland and N. W. Niles 6-0, 6-3, 11-9. R. N. Dana and E. T. Gross beat R. C. Seayer and G. T. Putnam, 3-6, 4-6, 6-2, 6-4, 6-2. J. J. Hayes and F. W. We'ch beat H. K. Aldrich and J. R. Pratt, 7-5, 6-2, 6-3. B. H. Hayes and N. Cabot beat C. S. Penhallow and W. A. Carl, 6-0, 6-3, 6-4. S. F. Wise and G. E. Howard, Jr., beat J. Lawrence, Jr., and H. Davis, 4-6, 6-3, 5-7, 6-0, 6-0.

Third Round: C. F. Watson and F. C. Colston beat P. D. Haughton and G. R. Fearing, Jr., by default. I. C. Wright and R. Bishop beat J. B. Read and A. W. Jackson, 6-2, 6-2, 6-3. F. G. Anderson and J. D. E. Jones beat A. Holmes and P. Fosdick, 6-0, 6-2, 6-2. H. H. Hackett and F. B. Alexander beat J. S. and J. R. Lovering, 3-6, 6-3, 6-4, 6-2. H. C. Johnson and C. F. Johnson beat N. P. Hallowell and S. P. Ware, 6-3, 6-3, 6-2. W. J. Clothier and W. A. Larned beat R. Hooker and C. M. Bull, Jr., 4-6, 6-4, 6-2, 6-2. R. N. Dana and E. T. Gross beat J. J. Hayes and F. W. Welch, 6-2, 6-3, 10-8. B. H. Hayes and N. Cabot beat S. F. Wise and G. E. Howard, 6-4, 7-5, 6-0.

Fourth Round: C. F. Watson and F. C. Colston beat I. C. Wright and R. Bishop. H. H. Hackett and F. B. Alexander beat F. G. Anderson and J. D. E. Jones, 6-4, 6-2, 6-2. W. J. Clothier and W. A. Larned beat H. C. and C. F. Johnson, 7-5, 6-4, 7-5. R. N. Dana and E. T. Gross beat B. H. Hayes and N. Cabot, 6-1, 3-6, 6-3, 6-3.

Semi-final Round: H. H. Hackett and F. B. Alexander beat C. F. Watson, Jr., and F. C. Colston, 6-1, 6-2, 6-3. W. J. Clothier and W. A. Larned beat R. N. Dana and E. T. Gross, 4-6, 9-7, 6-2, 6-2.

Final Round: H. H. Hackett and F. B. Alexander beat W. J. Clothier and W. A. Larned, 7-9, 8-6, 6-2, 8-10, 6-3.

NEW ENGLAND STATES TOURNAMENT.

THE open tournament for the Championship of the New England States was held on the fine dirt courts of the Hartford Golf Club, June 12 and following days. In the Final and Challenge round in Singles five hard fought and exciting sets were played in each to decide the winners. The play of LeRoy, Behr and Pell throughout the tournament was of the very best.

Scores:

Singles.

Preliminary Round: Pond of Windsor beat Drake, 6-0, 7-5. Stoddard, Bridgeport, beat W. C. Grant, 3-6, 6-3, 6-4. LeRoy, Columbia beat Cole, Hartford, 11-9, 9-7. Ford, Providence,, beat Perry U. of P. 6-4, 6-4. T. R. Pell, N. Y., beat Graves ,Hartford, 6-1, 6-1.

First Round: Perry of Hartford beat Nettleton of New Haven, 6-3, 9-7. Stoddard, Bridgeport beat Pond, 6-2, 6-3.

Second Round: Terry, Hartford beat Bryan, 6-2, 6-1. LeRoy beat Stoddard, 6-0, 6-2. Nettleton beat Hyde, 3-6, 6-4, 6-4. Pell beat J. Terry, 6-2, 6-1.

Semi-final Round: LeRoy beat Nettleton, 6-2, 6-1. Pell beat Lewis Perry, 6-1, 6-4.

Final Round: T. R. Pell beat Robert LeRoy, 5-7, 2-6, 6 3, 6-2, 8-6.

Challenge Round: Karl Behr Yale, beat Pell, 7-5, 3-6, 0-6, 7-5, 6-4.

Doubles.

Semi-finals Round: LeRoy and Behr beat Nettleton and Perry, 3-6, 6-0, 6-4. Pell and Grant beat Terry and Howard, 10-8, 7-5.

Final Round: Pell and Grant beat LeRoy and Behr, 6-0, 6-2, 7-5.

Championship Round: Pell and Grant beat LeRoy and Behr, 6-0, 6-2, 7-5.

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THE twentieth annual open tournament for Championship of the South was held on the courts of the Atlanta (Ga.) Athletic Club during the week July 3-7, 1906. The tournament, although held for the first time in the South, having formerly been played in Washington, D. C., was marked by the largest entry list and the best grade of play ever seen in the South. The sixty-odd contestants represented a wide section of the country, including players from Ohio, Michigan, California and almost every southern state. The weather conditions were excellent, and the ten dirt courts of the Atlanta Athletic Club were in perfect condition, reflecting great credit upon the management. Mr. F. H. Reynolds was referee, and is deserving of special mention for the smoothness and promptness with which he conducted the tournament.

Interest centered chiefly in the play of R. G. Hunt of California, holder of several Western Championships; Karl Little of Cincinnati, who the previous year made an excellent showing in the Tri-State Tournament, Nat Thornton of Atlanta, who for several years held the South Atlantic States Championship, Gulf States Championship and Georgia State Championship; Cowan Rodgers of Knoxville, South Atlantic States Champion and Tennessee State Champion. As Hunt was ranked ahead of all the other contestants, it was generally believed that he stood the best chance of winning, and justified the expectation by disposing of Rodgers in the Semi-final round by a score of, 6-3, 6-2, and beating Dr. Little in the Finals, 6-3, 6-0, 6-0.

In the Men's Doubles it was not an easy matter to pick the winners,

among the strongest teams entered being B. M. Grant and Nat Thornton of Atlanta, W. C. Lee (Michigan) and R. G. Hunt (California), W. C. Daley and Norman Farrell, Jr., of Nashville; Chas. Rodgers and Cowan Rodgers of Knoxville, Taylor and Blackshear of Macon, Seguin and Logan of New Orleans and Scott and Williams of Atlanta.

In the Semi-final round Daley and Farrell's match against Grant and Thornton was hard fought throughout, both sides driving hard and playing very steadily, but the match finally went to Grant and Thornton by the score, 7-5, 9-7.

In the Final round Grant and Thornton met Hunt and Lee in the hardest fought and most brilliantly contested Double match ever seen in the South. A large crowd was present to see the contest, and not until the last stroke of the fifth set was it certain how the match would end, as the play was even closer than the score indicates. Grant and Thornton, however, won the match by the score of 6-2, 2-6 3-6, 6-3, 6-2.

Particular interest was felt in the Ladies' Singles Tournament by the fact that this was the first time lady players had been seen in tournament play in the South. Miss May Logan of New Orleans defeated Miss Kathleen Brown of Atlanta in the finals, 6-0, 6-2.

Handsome Championship cups and prizes were donated by the Atlanta Athletic Club for each event.

Results: Championships of the South 1906.

Men's Singles: Reuben G. Hunt, California.

Men's Doubles: B. M. Grant and Nat Thornton, Atlanta, Ga.

Ladies' Singles: Miss May Logan, New Orleans, La.

Mixed Doubles: Miss Kathleen Brown and Mr. S. C. Williams, Atlanta, Ga.

Scores:

Singles.

First Round: L. D. Scott beat H. L. Freeman, 6-2, 6-4; A. M. Post beat M. D. Berrien, 6-0, 6-4; S. C. Williams beat W. D. Mooney, 6-2, 6-2; B. Logan beat F. G. Byrd, 6-1, 6-4; T. Mallory beat G. Middlebrooks, 6-1, 6-4; W. C. Lee beat A. F. Fitzsimmons, 6-2, 6-1; Karl Little beat F. H. Sawyer, 6-1, 6-3; H. M. Ashe beat A. Seguin, 6-4, 7-5; A. Fischer beat A. S. Adams, 6-2, 6-1; Cowan Rodgers beat N. R. Broyles, 6-2, 6-1; Nat Thornton beat S. H. Blackshear, 7-5, 6-3; R. G. Hunt beat W. R. Tichenor, 6-1, 6-1; H. F. Prescott beat W. D. McNeil by default; G. A. Howell beat H. E. Moore by default; F. H. Smith beat V. C. Kingman, 6-4, 6-1.

Second Round: W. C. Daley beat Chas. Rodgers, 6-3, 6-1; B. Logan beat T. Mallory, 6-2, 6-3; Little beat H. M. Ashe, 6-2, 6-1: A. W. Post beat H. W. Howell, 6-3, 6-1; Cowan Rodgers beat Ramspeck, 6-0, 6-1; Jos. A. Yarborough beat Spratlin, 6-0, 5-7, 6-0; W. C. Mansfield beat A. Fischer, 6-2, 6-3; Hunt beat C. Davis, 6-2, 6-1; B. M. Grant beat Norman Farrell, 6-3, 5-7, 6-4.

Third Round: Hunt beat Prescott, 6-2, 6-2; Thornton beat Grant, 7-5, 6-3; Daley beat Lee, 6-1, 3-6, 6-4; Cowan Rodgers beat Mansfield, 6-0, 6-0: G. A. Howell beat Kingman, 7-5, 6-1; S. C. Williams beat Scott, 6-4, 6-3.

Fourth Round: Hunt beat Howell, 6-3, 7-5; Rodgers beat Thornton, 6-4, 3-6; 6-4, Little beat Williams, 4-6, 6-2, 6-3; Daley beat Logan, 6-4, 2-6, 7-5.

Semi-final Round: Hunt beat Rodgers, 6-4, 6-3; Little beat Daley, 6-2, 6-4.

Final Round: R. G. Hunt beat Dr. Karl Little, 6-3, 6-0, 6-0

Doubles.

First Round: Blackshear and Taylor beat Byrd and Tichenor, 9-7, 6-2; Grant and Thornton beat Little and Fischer, 6-2, 6-2; Charles and Cowan Rodgers beat Willingham and Middlebrooks, 6-2, 7-5; Harrold and Mallory beat Ashe and Broyles, 6-2, 7-5; Mansfield and Freeman beat Howell and Brockett, 6-4, 6-3.

Second Round: Daley and Farrell beat Sawyer and Ramspeck, 6-0, 6-1; Seguin and Logan beat Moore and Matthews, 6-1, 6-1; Blackshear and Taylor beat Smith and Howell, 6-2, 6-2; Grant and Thornton beat Rodgers Brothers, 6-4, 0-6, 6-2; Mansfield and Freeman beat Harrold and Mallory, 6-3, 3-6, 6-2; Post and Yarborough beat Fitzsimmons and Smith, 6-4, 6-3; Hunt and Lee beat Williams and Scott, 6-3, 6-3; Berrien and Davis beat Kingman and Adams, 6-0, 8-6.

Third Round: Daley and Farrell beat Logan and Seguin, 6-3, 6-2; Grant and Thornton beat Blackshear and Taylor, 6-2, 6-4; Post and Yarborough beat Mansfield and Freeman, 6-4, 6-3; Hunt and Lee beat Berrien and Davis, 6-3, 6-2.

Semi-final Round: Grant and Thornton beat Daley and Farrell, 7-5, 9-7; Hunt and Lee beat Post and Yarborough, 7-5, 6-4.

Final Round: B. M. Grant and Nat Thornton beat R. G. Hunt and W. C. Lee, 6-2, 2-6, 3-6, 6-3, 6-2.

Ladies' Singles.

First Round: Miss Margaret Rodgers beat Mrs. Word, 6-1, 6-1: Miss Kathleen Brown beat Miss Florence Smith, 6-0, 6-0.

Second Round: Miss May Logan beat Miss Margaret Rodgers, 6-1, 6-0; Miss Kathleen Brown beat Miss Caroline Westmoreland, 6-2, 6-3.

Final Round: Miss May Logan beat Miss Kathleen Brown, 6-0, 6-2.

Mixed Doubles.

First Round: Miss May Logan and Bland Logan beat Miss Margaret Rodgers and Charles Rodgers, 6-3, 6-4: Mrs. Word and L. D. Scott beat Miss Caroline Westmoreland and E. S. Mansfield, 6-3, 4-6, 6-3.

Second Round: Miss May Logan and B. Logan beat Mrs. Word and L. D. Scott, 6-3, 6-3.

Finals Round: Miss Kathleen Brown and Mr. S. C. Williams beat Miss May Logan and Mr. B. Logan, 6-4, 3-6, 6-4.

TENNESSEE STATE TOURNAMENT

The annual tournament for the Championship of Tennessee was held by the Nashville Tennis Club on June 25 and following days. The entry list included many of the best players of the South and two well-known western players, Reuben G. Hunt and W. C. Lee. Hunt won the Singles tournament and put his name on the cup by defeating Cowan Rodgers in the Challenge round. Hunt and Lee also won in the Doubles, but were defeated in the Challenge round by the holders, Rodgers brothers of Knoxville, Tenn.

Interest in tennis has been greatly stimulated in the South of recent years and the formation of the Southern Lawn Tennis Association three years ago has put the game on a firm basis. It is hoped that in 1907 a larger number of Eastern and Western players will play the Southern Circuit. There were visiting players from California, New Orleans, Memphis, Knoxville and Atlanta.

Score:

Singles.

First Round: Hunt beat Logan, 6-0, 6-4. Walker beat Farber by default. Smith beat Mooney, 6-1, 6-2. Daley beat Frantz, 6-1, 6-2. Post beat Farrell, 6-4, 7 5. Lee beat McClure, 6-3, 6-1. Rodgers beat Day, 9-7, 7-9, 6-1. Thornton beat Douglass, 6-2, 6-4.

S. C. WILLIAMS AND MISS KATHLEEN BROWN
Mixed Doubles, Southern Champions

Second Round: Hunt beat Walker, 6-2, 6-2. Smith beat Daley, 6-4, 6-8, 6-1. Post beat Lee, 10-8, 6-2. Thornton beat Rodgers, 6-3, 6-4.

Semi-final Round: Hunt beat Smith, 6-1, 6-2. Thornton beat Post, 7-5, 2-6, 9-7.

Final Round: Hunt beat Thornton, 6-4, 7-5, 1-6, 11-9.

Challenge Round: R. G. Hunt beat Cowan Rodgers, 6-3, 6-2, 6-1.

Doubles.

First Round: Hunt and Lee beat Farrell and Walker, 6-4, 6-2. Daley and Day beat Frantz and McClure, 6-0, 6-3. Post and Logan beat Thornton and Smith, 6-4, 7-5. Browder and Dougless beat Mooney and Lyon, 6-1, 6-0.

Semi-final Round: Hunt and Lee beat Daley and Day, 6-4, 6-4. Post and Logan beat Browder and Douglass, 6-1, 6-2.

Final Round: Hunt and Lee beat Post and Logan, 6-2, 7-5, 6-2.

Challenge Round: Hunt and Lee beat Rodgers brothers, 3-6, 7-5, 6-3, 6-4.

GEORGIA STATE CHAMPIONSHIP

Log Cabin, Macon, Ga., August 9, 1906.

Singles.

First Round: A. W. Seguin beat McCaw by default. Jones beat H. M. Ashe by default. R. G. Hunt beat Mallory, 6-0, 6-3. L. D. Scott beat McNeil, 6-1, 7-5. W. C. Lee beat C. V. Angier, 7-5, 6-2. B. Logan beat Williamson, 6-2, 6-2. Karl Little beat W. Gunn, 6-1, 6-1. S. C. Williams beat Vaughan by default. Dr. Harold beat L. Clarke by default.

Second Round: S. H. Blackshear beat A. W. Fischer, 7-5, 6-4. Seguin beat J. A. Selden, 6-0, 6-1. Hunt beat Jones, 6-1, 6-2. Scott beat Lee, 8-6, 1-6, 6-2. Little beat Logan, 6-1, 8-10, 6-2. Williams beat Harrold, 6-3, 6-4. E. Taylor, Jr., beat Selden, 7-5, 6-4. Solomon C. Smith by default.

Third Round: Seguin beat Blackshear, 6-4, 8-6. Hunt beat Scott, 6-1, 6-1. Little Beat Williams 6-4, 6-2. Taylor beat by default.

Semi-final Round: R. G. Hunt beat Seguin, 6-0, 6-3. Little beat Taylor, 6-3, 6-2.

Final Round: Karl Little beat R. G. Hunt. 3-6, 3-6, 6-4, 6-3, 6-2.

Challenge Round: Karl Little beat Nat. Thornton, 6-2, 6-4, 1-6, 6-2.

Doubles.

First Round: E. Taylor and S. H. Blackshear beat Karl Little and Fischer, 6-4, 7-5.

Second Round: R. G. Hunt and W. C. Lee beat Jones and Williamson ,6-3, 6-2.

Taylor and Blackshear beat L. D. Scott and C. V. Angier, 6-4, 6-1. B. Logan and A. Seguin beat W. D. McNeil and W. Gunn, 6-2, 6-4. Selden and Selden beat Mallory and Harrold. 6-2, 6-2.

Semi-final Round: Hunt and Lee beat Taylor and Blackshear, 6-2, 6-4. Selden and Selden beat Logan and Seguin, 2-6, 6-4, 6-4.

Final Round: Hunt and Lee beat Selden and Selden, 6-2, 6-1, 6-4.

Challenge Round: Hunt and Lee beat Nat. Thornton and S. E. Williams, 6-3, 6-3, 6-1.

THE SOUTH ATLANTIC STATES LAWN TENNIS CHAMPIONSHIP.

Singles.

First Round: J. Selden beat Dr. Wragg, 6-0, 6-2. V. Dawson beat Geo. Jackson, 6.0, 6-2. M. Ringely beat J. Bailie, 6-2, 6-4. W. T. Gary, Jr., beat I. Branch, 7-5, 1-6, 8-6. B. M. Grant beat J. C. Harper, 6-3, 6-3. S. C. Williams beat S. Martin, 6-2, 6-4. J. Dawson beat J. Selden by default.

Second Round: Thornton beat Butler, 6-2, 6-3. H. B. King beat A. Branch, 7-5, 1-6, 9-7. Selden beat Dawson, 6-3, 6-1. Ridgely beat Gary, 6-2, 6-3. Williams beat Grant 6-4, 6-4. Dawson beat Blackshear, 6-4, 2-6, 6-4. Yarborough beat Capers, 6-4, 6-3. Harper beat B. Wright, Jr., 6-4, 6-4.

Third Round: Thornton beat King, 6-2, 6-2. Selden beat Ridgely, 6-0, 6-1. Williams beat Dawson, 6-4, 6-2. Yarborough beat Harper, 6-4, 6-2.

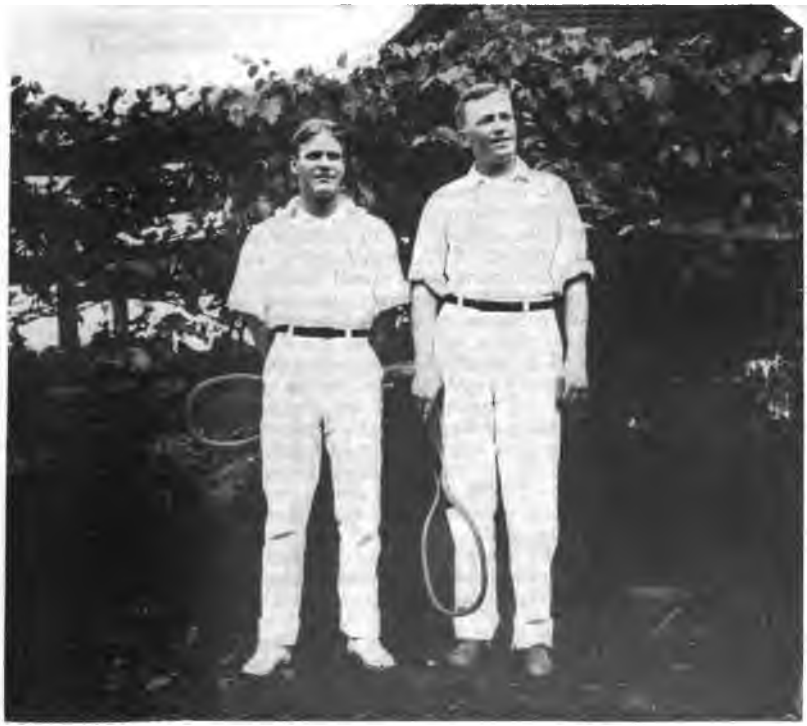
Semi-final Round: Thornton beat Selden, 7-5, 6-1, 8-6. Williams beat Yarborough, 6-4, 6-3, 1-6, 6-1.

Final Round: Thornton beat Williams, 6-3, 7-5, 6-0.

Challenge Round: Nat. Thornton beat Cowan Rodgers by default.

Doubles.

S. C. Williams and J. Selden beat J. A. Yarborough and M. Ridgely, 6-3, 6-4, 7-5. S. A. Wragg and J. Dawson beat V. Dawson and A. Branch, 6-3, 3-6, 6-4, 3-6, 6-4.



NAT THORNTON AND B. M. GRANT,
Winners of South Atlantic and Gulf States Tournament

Final Round: Williams and Selden beat Wragg and Dawson, 6-2, 6-3, 6-3.

Challenge Round: Grant and Thornton defeated Williams and Selden, 7-5, 6-2, 6-8, 6-2.

The Consolation Singles was won by B. M. Grant of Atlanta, Ga.

GULF STATES CHAMPIONSHIP, 1906

The sixth annual Lawn Tennis Tournament for the Gulf State Championships, in Singles and Doubles, was held at New Orleans, La., on the grounds and under the management of the New Orleans Lawn Tennis Club, May 28, and the four days following.

Of the twenty-one entrants in the Singles, all, save four, Messrs. Grant and Thornton of the Atlanta Athletic Club, and Messrs. Swan and Theobald of the Biloxi Tennis Club, were from local organizations.

The Atlanta pair not only successfully defended their title in the Doubles tourney, but succeeded also in capturing both prizes in the Singles event. While the home club was greatly handicapped by the absence of such sterling players as F. T. Payne, J. H. Elliott, S. Logan and E. Phelps, it must be said that the Atlanta men were in fine form, each winning his way into the finals without the loss of a single set. The match between them was a fine illustration of the value of endurance, Grant clearly outplaying Thornton for two sets, only to succumb at last to the latter's superior staying powers.

In the Doubles Tournament, Post and Elliott were clearly the best, winning the open event without the loss of a set. Credit, however, must be given to Lyons and Leverich for their splendid exhibition in the finals. In the Challenge match, there was little choice between the contestants, the holders being slightly superior in team work and a trifle steadier and to these two qualifications the Georgians undoubtedly owe their victory.

Owing to the absence from the city of F. T. Payne, the holder in Singles, there was no Challenge match and Nat. Thornton was awarded the Championship by default.

A summary of the tournament follows:

Singles.

Preliminary Round: I. S. Eshleman beat E. C. Palmer, 6-4, 6-4. B. M. Grant beat G. A. Swan, 6-1, 6-2. F. Dameron beat H. L. Rich-

ardson, 6-2, 6-1. Theo. Roehl beat W. Henderson, 9-7, 5-7, 6-3. R. Lyons beat F. Soule, 7-5, 3-6, 6-4. J. C. Goodfellow beat M. Levy, 6 4, 7-5.

First Round: A. M. Post beat A. W. Seguin, by default. H. Leverich beat W. B. Grant, 6-1, 6-4. A. I. Leverich beat I. S. Eshleman, 6-4, 6-2. B. M. Grant beat F. Damon, 6-1, 6-1. R. Lyons beat T. Roehl, 2-6, 7-5, 6-2. M. N. Smith beat J. C. Goodfellow, 5-7, 8-6, 9-7. Nat. Thornton beat C. Theobald, 6-4, 6-1. R. B. Logan beat H. Hardie, 6-3, 8-6.

Second Round: A. M. Post beat H. Leverich, 3-6, 6-3, 6-4. B. M. Grant beat A. I. Lerevich, 7-5, 6-1. M. N. Smith beat R. Lyons, 7-5, 6-3. Nat. Thornton beat R. B. Logan, 6-4, 6-4.

Semi-final Round: B. M. Grant beat A. M. Post, 6-3, 6-2. Nat. Thornton beat M. B. Smith, 6-4, 6-4.

Final Round: Nat. Thornton beat B. M. Grant, 4-6, 2-6, 6-2, 6-1, 6-4.

Challenge Match: Nat. Thornton (Atlanta Athletic Club), challenger, beat Frank T. Payne (N. O. L. T. C.), holder, by default.

Doubles.

Preliminary Round: H. L. Richardson and T. Roehl beat F. Soule and F. Dameron, 6-4, 7-5, R. B. Logan and H. Leverich beat H. Hardie and I. S. Eshleman, 7-5, 6-1.

First Round: W. B. Grant and W. Henderson beat E. F. Worms and I. R. Saal, 3-6, 6-2, 6-4. J. H. Elliott and A. M. Post beat H. L. Richardson and T. Roehl, 6-0, 6-1. A. I. Leverich and R. Lyons beat H. Leverich and R. B. Logan, 6-3, 6-1. A. W. Seguin and M. N Smith beat J. C. Goodfellow and G. K. Logan, 6-3, 4-6, 6-3.

Semi-final Round: Elliott and Post beat Grant and Henderson, by default. Leverich and Lyons beat Seguin and Smith, 7-9, 6-3, 6-4.

Final Round: Elliott and Post beat Leverich and Lyons, 6-4, 12-10, 7-5.

Challenge Match: B. M. Grant and Nat. Thornton (Atlanta Athletic Club), holders, beat J. H. Elliott and A. M. Post (N. O. L. T. C.) challengers, 4-6, 7-5, 6-4, 6-4.

RANKING OF SOUTHERN PLAYERS.

THE committee of the Southern Lawn Tennis Association has announced the official ranking of the leading southern players for the season 1906. R. G. Hunt of Alameda, Cal., is entitled to first place over all players entered in the Southern tournaments in Singles, having won the Tennessee State Championship and Southern Championship, while Dr. Karl Little of Cincinnati won second place, having been runner-up in the Southern Championship and winner of the Georgia State Championship, defeating R. G. Hunt in the Finals of the latter tournament, and Nat. Thornton in the Challenge round.

In Doubles, R. G. Hunt of California and W. C. Lee of Michigan are entitled to third place.

The ranking of the Southern players is as follows:

Singles.

1—Cowan Rodgers, Knoxville, Tenn.
2—Nat. Thornton, Atlanta, Ga.
3—S. C. Williams, Atlanta, Ga.
4—B. M. Grant, Atlanta, Ga.
5—A. W. Post, New Orleans, La.
6—E. W. Daley, Nashville, Tenn.
7—L. D. Scott, Atlanta, Ga.
8—Eden Taylor, Jr., Macon, Ga.
9—J. A. Yarborough, Augusta, Ga.
10—Charles Rodgers, Knoxville, Tenn.

Doubles.

1—B. M. Grant and Nat. Thornton, Atlanta, Ga.
2—Charles and Cowan Rodgers, Knoxville, Tenn.
3—E. Taylor and S. H. Blackshear, Macon, Ga.

NYACK COUNTRY CLUB OPEN TOURNAMENT.

THE annual Lawn Tennis Tournament was held at Nyack during the week beginning Labor Day, under the auspices of the National Lawn Tennis Association. A special interest seemed to be shown by the increased entry list due to the revised terms under which the trophy was competed for in the Men's Singles. The cup, which had been competed for up till last summer, having been won for the third time by Frederick G. Anderson of the King's County Lawn Tennis Club, the club offered a new Challenge cup to be competed for under the new conditions, namely that the winner of the first year must play through the field a second and third time, not necessarily consecutively, in order to own the trophy outright. This proved a drawing card presumably, as the entry list was larger than ever before.

Another event which proved of great interest, was the capture of a Bracket on the Women's Singles Cup, by the National Champion, Miss Helen Homans, who defeated the holder of the previous year, Mrs. W. H. Pouch, in the Challenge round, having won the Women's Singles event the day before. In addition to the usual events of previous years two additional classes were added to the entry list, namely Women's Doubles and Mixed Doubles.

Scores:

Men's Singles.

Preliminary Round:

L. J. Honiss, Bye.	S. O. Miller, Bye.	H. Sheldon, Bye.
A. Bassford, Jr., Bye.	H. Mollenhauer. Bye.	C. A. Lindley, Bye.
W. H. Connell, Bye.	G. A. Lord, Bye.	C.W.Throckmorton,Bye
G. Crego, Bye.	T. G. Peck, Bye.	W. C. Bradley, Bye.
F. G. Anderson, Bye.	S.R.Bradley,Jr., Bye.	R. Rosenbaum, Bye.
W. H. Ghormley, Bye.	R. C. Black, Jr., Bye.	J. F. Pierce, Bye.
F. P. Warfield, Bye.	L. H. Fitch, Bye.	R. L. James, Bye.

R. C. Seaver beat H. Tallant, 4-6, 9-7, 6-2; N. W. Niles beat A. Amend, default; R. H. Palmer beat J. C. Rogerson, 6-3, 6-3; H. A. Davis beat E. M. Leask, default; O. H. Hincks beat M. Crawford, 6-0, 6-1; E. A.

Wetzlar beat E. L. Tailor, 4-6, 6-2, 6-0; W. Black beat W. Denham, 7-5, 6-4; W. H. Baldwin beat J. W. C. Bowden, 6-2, 6-3; G. Touchard beat L. D. Maynard, 6-0, 6-0; R. M. Robinson beat A. I. Martin, 8-6, 6-2; H. T. Westervelt beat G. Salinger, default.

First Round: Miller beat Honiss, 10-12, 6-2, 6-4; Bassford beat Sheldon, 6-2, 6-3; Mollenhauer beat Lindley, 6-2, 6-3; Connell beat Lord, 6-1; 6-3; Throckmorton beat Crego, 6-4, 6-0; Seaver beat Niles, 6-1, 6-4; Palmer beat Davis, 6-1, 6-3; Hincks beat Wetzlar 6-1, 6-1; Baldwin beat W. Black, 6-4, 6-1; Touchard beat Robinson, 6-3, 6-7; Peck beat Westervelt, 6-8, 10-8, 6-1; Anderson beat W. C. Bradley, 6-1, 6-1; Rosenbaum beat S. R. Bradley, default; Black beat Ghormley, 6-1, 6-3; Warfield beat Pierce, default; James beat Fitch, 6-4, 6-3.

Second Round: Bassford beat Miller, 6-0, 6-4; Mollenhauer beat Connell, 6-2, 6-2; Seaver beat Throckmorton, 6-0, 6-4; Hinck beat Palmer, 6-2, 6-3; Touchard beat Baldwin, 5-7, 6-3, 6-4; Anderson beat Pack, 6-4, 6-1; Rosenbaum beat Black, default; James beat Warfield, default.

Third Round: Mollenhauer beat Bassford, 6-4, 6-1; Seaver beat Hincks, 6-3, 6-3; Anderson beat Touchard, 8-6, 6-2; James beat Rosenbaum, 6-2, 6-3.

Semi-Final Round: Mollenhauer beat Seaver, 6-1, 2-6, 6-4; Anderson beat James, 6-1, 6-2.

Final Round: Anderson beat Mollenhauer, 6-3, 7-5, 1-6, 6-1.

Men's Doubles.

Preliminary Round:

S. R. Bradley and Karl Preston, Bye — Walker and M. C. Crawford, Bye.
Rosenbaum and Connell, Bye. — Bassford and Miller, Bye.
Fitch and Throckmorton, Bye. — Palmer and Tailer, Bye.
Black and Black, Bye.

Bradley and Rogerson beat Davis and Lindley, 7-5, 6-3; Hincks and Anderson beat Peck and Wetzler, 6-2, 6-0; Niles and Seaver beat Ghormley and Lord, 6-0, 6-0; Peck and Grant beat Westervelt and Maynard, default; Watson and McDowell beat Warfield and Throckmorton, default; Tallant and Bowden beat Baldwin and Martin, default.

First Round: Rosenbaum and Connell beat S. R. Bradley and K. Preston, 6-0, 6-3; Fitch and Throckmorton beat Black and Black, 2-6, 6-4, 6-3; Bradley and Rogerson beat Walker and Crawford, 6-1, 6-1; Hincks and Anderson beat Niles and Seaver, 6-2, 4-6, 6-2; Watson and McDowell beat Peck and Grant, default; Touchard and James

beat Tallant and Bowden, 2-6, 6-4, 6-3; Mollenhauer and Allen beat Bowden and Partner, default; Palmer and Tailer beat Bassford and Miller, 6-3, 1-6, 6-2.

Second Round: Fitch and Throckmorton beat Rosenbaum and Connell, 1-6, 10-8, 6-0; Anderson and Hincks beat Bradley and Rogerson, 6-2, 6-2; Touchard and James beat Watson and McDowell, default; Mollenhauer and Allen beat Palmer and Tailer, 6-2, 6-2.

Semi-Final Round: Anderson and Hincks beat Fitch and Throckmorton, 6-3, 6-4; Mollenhauer and Allen beat Touchard and James, 6-3, 6-3.

Final Round: Anderson and Hincks heat Mollenhauer and Allen, 6-1, 6-4, 5-7, 1-6, 6-3.

Women's Singles.

Preliminary Round:

Mrs. Aufermann, Bye.
Miss Eaton, Bye.
Miss Smith, Bye.
Miss Wagner, Bye.
Miss Jewett, Bye.
Mrs. Chapman, Bye.

Miss Homans beat Miss Boldt, 6-4, 6-3; Miss F. Merritt beat Miss Mathiessen, default.

First Round: Mrs. Aufermann beat Miss Eaton, 6-1, 6-3; Miss Homans beat Miss Smith, 6-1, 6-1; Miss Wagner beat Miss F. Merritt, 6-0, 6-3; Mrs. Chapman beat Miss Jewett, 6-1, 6-0.

Semi-Final Round: Miss Homans beat Mrs. Aufermann, 6-2, 6-3; Miss Wagner beat Mrs. Chapman, 6-1, 6-0.

Final Round: Miss Homans beat Miss Wagner, 6-2, 6-4.

Challenge Round: Miss Homans, challenger beat Mrs. W. H. Pouch, holder, 6-1, 6-2.

Women's Doubles.

Final Round: Mrs. Bumstead and Mrs. Platt beat Mrs. Chapman and Mrs. Auferman, 6-1, 6-4.

Mixed Doubles.

First Round: Miss Smith and Mr. Lindley beat Miss Miller and Mr. Grant, 6-3, 4-6, 6-2; Miss Eaton and Mr. Westervelt beat Miss Merritt and Mr. Martin, 6-2, 6-1; Mr. Tallant and Miss Hilton beat Partner and Mr. Torrance, default; Mr. and Mrs. Pouch beat Mrs. Chapman and Mr. Palmer, 6-3, 4-6, 6-2; Miss Boldt and Mr. Niles beat Miss Frost and Mr. Maynard, 6-1, 6-2; Miss Mathieson and Mr. Bradley beat Miss Maynard and Mr. Prentice, 6-1, 6-1; Miss Wagner

and Mr. Mollenhauer beat Miss Homans and Mr. Seaver, 6-3, 6-8, 7-5; Miss Bogard and Mr. Bassford.

Second Round: Miss Smith and Mr. Lindley beat Miss Eaton and Mr. Westervelt, 6-0, 6-3; Mr. and Mrs. Pouch beat Miss Hilton and Mr. Tallant, 7-5, 1-6, 6-3; Miss Boldt and Mr. Niles beat Miss Mathieson and Mr. Bradley, 6-1, 6-2; Miss Wagner and Mr. Mollenhauer beat Miss Bogard and Mr. Bassford, 6-2, 6-2.

Semi-Final Round: Mr. and Mrs. Pouch beat Miss Smith and Mr. Lindley, 3-6, 6-2, 6-1; Miss Wagner and Mr. Mollenhauer beat Miss Boldt and Mr. Niles, 3-6, 6-3, 6-2.

Final Round: Miss Wagner and Mr. Mollenhauer beat Mr. and Mrs. Pouch, 6-3, 6-3.

Consolation Men's Singles.

Final Round: Niles beat Fitch, 6-1, 6-1, 6-0.

EAST JERSEY LAWN TENNIS ASSOCIATION.

THE Open Tournament of the East Jersey Lawn Tennis Association for the East Jersey Challenge Cup was again held upon the courts of the Elizabeth Town and Country Club, Elizabeth, N. J., on Aug. 28 and succeeding days, finishing on Labor day, Sept. 3, 1906.

This tournament has now become a fixture and this year took rank as one of the largest tournaments in the East played upon dirt courts, in the Men's Singles there being 63 entries. Nearly all the Metropolitan cracks entered and played in the various events. The increasing interest in this tournament is explained by the growth of the Association, and Elizabeth being conveniently situated to New York and vicinity Good weather during tennis week together with the enthusiasm of the gallery and hospitality extended by the club, contributed toward the success of the tournament, which was replete with brilliant tennis as shown by the scores appended.

Credit was due to the management and the referee in completing the tournament according to schedule, considering the large number of entries. Matches were played promptly upon the nine dirt courts, which were in fine condition, and up to the standard established by this club in former years.

The East Jersey Association was one of the first ones in this country to change the form of competition for Challenge Cups and with the consent of Messrs. Behr and Anderson who had each won a "leg" upon the Challenge Cup, one year's notice was given to the effect that in 1907 and following years the Challenge Round will be done away with, the winner of 1906 not being required to defend his title and accordingly in 1907 and thereafter the person who plays through the Men's Singles and wins in the final round will obtain a "leg" on the cup. The cup will remain in competition until won three times (not necessarily in succession) by some player. Although this is a somewhat radical change from customs heretofore in vogue in this country the object of the Association was to place the cup in competition upon a fair competitive basis and not give the defender of title, the advantage in the Chalienge Round of playing when fresh the winner who had played through the tournament, and was therefore handicapped at the outset.

The management added this year as a new event, Women's Doubles, which proved of great interest and a valuable addition to the tournament and possibly in 1907 Women's Singles will also be added, as the local club will have twelve courts available for tournaments.

A glance at the scores will show that keen competition was witnessed by the gallery in the various matches and in order to win the Challenge Cup some fine tennis was displayed which was duly appreciated by those who lined the courts during the week.

In the Challenge Cup Singles Karl H. Behr was successful in defending his title which now gives him two legs upon the cup. Frederick G. Anderson, the loser, however played his usual consistent game and the match went to five long drawn-out sets which were bitterly contested throughout. Behr being called upon to play brilliant tennis and only his staying power toward the end of the match saved him from defeat.

In the Final round of the Singles, owing to the improvement shown by Pell, considerable interest was created in this match. Pell's admirers considered that he would win, and having taken the first set 8-6 their hopes were strengthened. Anderson, however, got his back court strokes working from side to side which prevented Pell from getting up to the net and he won the next three sets. Pell unfortunately tried to make a return in the second set and in so doing fell heavily upon the court which may have lessened his chance of winning. The final scores were 6-8, 9-7, 7-5, 6-3.

In the Men's Doubles, Theodore Roosevelt Pell and Robert LeRoy after a four set match defeated F. G. Anderson and Otto Hincks. The playing of LeRoy in this match was one of the features of the tournament, the Final score being, 6-8, 6-3, 7-5, 6-2.

In the Women's Doubles, the playing of Miss Johnson and Miss Coffin of the Staten Island Ladies' Club was the feature of this event which they won, their match against their club-mates going to three sets, 7-5, 4-6, 10-8 in the Semi-finals. In the Final Round they were called upon to play a much harder game than the scores show.

In the Mixed Doubles, Miss Coffin and Mr. Robert LeRoy by consistent play won this event but they had several close matches as all the teams were evenly matched.

Scores:

Men's Singles.

Preliminary Round: F. E. Ferris beat S. A. Lottridge, 6-4, 6-4; N. F. Charlock beat G. W. Case, Jr., by default; J. Reynolds beat

Safford, by default; H. P. Smith beat O. Knight, 6-1, 6-2; Henry Mollenhauer beat E. L. Tailer, by default; W. N. Jennings Jr., beat Lee Barroll, 6-2, 6-0; R. H. Palmer beat Dean Mathey, 8-6, 7-9, 6-4; Otto Hincks beat S. L. Smith, by default; W. B. Cragin, Jr., beat A. S. Wrenn, 6-1, 6-1; J. B. Close beat Dr. F. H. Glazebrook, by default; R. W. Seabury beat P. Schultze-Berge, Jr., 6-4, 7-9, 6-4; F. G. Anderson beat Burdett O'Connor, 6-1, 6-2; G. C. Thomas, Jr., beat W. S. Vosseler, 6-2, 3-6, 6-1; George A. Antonides beat T. A. Gavott, 6-2, 6-1; C. Cole beat Dr. H. H. Waugh, 6-3, 6-3; G. A. McKenzie beat G. Touchard, by default; Leon Freeman beat D. V. Robertson, 6-4, 6-1; M. S. Charlock beat E. S. Cameron, 7-5, 6-1; M. G. Peabody beat H. D. Tucker, by default; H. J. Cochran beat A. L. West, 6-2, 6-2; Carl Lemoke beat W. L. Righter, 6-1, 4-6, 6-4; R. L. James beat L. H. Cook, 3-6, 6-2, 6-3; S. A. Westfall beat C. W. Throckmorton, by default; F. P. Warfield beat S. W. McAneny, 6-3, 6-1; H. H. Conover beat G. H. Miller, by default; George P. Smith beat K. M. Boorman, 6-2, 7-5; T. R. Pell beat R. B. Shipman, 6-1, 6-0; George W. Jacques beat J. C. Pearce, 6-3, 4-6, 6-2; Hugh Tallant beat Dr. William Rosenbaum, 6-1, 6-1; R. P. Harrison beat E. H. Woodward, 6-4, 8-6; H. M. Glazebrook beat T. C. Trask, 6-3, 3-6, 6-2.

First Round: Ferris beat N. F. Charlock, 6-3, 6-0; H. P. Smith beat Reynolds, 6-1, 6-1; Mollenhauer beat Jennings, 6-2, 7-5; Palmer beat Hincks, 6-3, 8-6; Cragin beat Close, 6-0, 6-1; Anderson beat Seabury, 6-1, 6-4; Antonides beat Thomas, 6-2, 6-3; Cole beat McKenzie 6-3, 8-6; Freeman beat M. S. Charlock, 6-2, 6-4; Cochran beat Peabody, 6-1, 6-3: James beat Lemcke, 6-3, 6-1; Westfall beat Warfield, 6-2, 6-1; Geo. P. Smith beat Conover, 6-3, 4-6, 6-4; Pell beat Jacques, 6-0, 6-0; Tallant beat Harrison, 6-2, 6-2; Glazebrook beat J. H. Kyte, 6-2, 6-4.

Second Round: H. P. Smith beat Ferris, 7-5, 9-7; Mollenhauer beat Palmer, 6-3, 6-8, 6-2; Anderson beat Cragin, 6-3, 6-1; Antonides beat Cole, 6-3, 3-6, 6-4; Freeman beat Cochran, 6-2, 6-2; Westfall beat James, 6-3, 6-4; Pell beat Smith, 6-4, 6-2; Tallant beat Glazebrook 6-2, 6-1.

Third Round: Mollenhauer beat Smith, 7-5, 6-4; Anderson beat Antonides, 6-3, 6-2; Westfall beat Freeman, 6-3, 6-0; Pell beat Tallant, 8-6, 6-4.

Semi-final Round—Anderson beat Mollenhauer, 6-3, 6-4; Pell beat Westfall, 1-6, 7-5, 7-5.

Final Round: Anderson beat Pell, 6-3, 9 7, 7-5, 6-3.

Challenge Round: Karl H. Behr beat Anderson, 5-7, 2-6, 9-7, 6-4, 7-5.

Consolation Finals: Mathey beat Cameron by default.

Men's Doubles.

Preliminary Round: S. A. Westfall and H. Mollenhauer beat D. Mathey and R. L. James, 6-4, 6-2; O. Knight and J. H. Kyte beat L. Barroll and G. C. Thomas, Jr., 6-4, 8-6; H. P. Smith and J. Reynolds beat Leon Freeman and F. H. Glazebrook, 6-3, 6-2; Wm. Rosenbaum and A. L. West beat C. M. Craft and W. L. Righter, 6-2, 6-3; F. G. Anderson and Otto H. Hincks beat Touchard and Curtis, 6-0, 6 2; H. J. Coc' ran and W. Brown beat H. D. Betts and R. P. Harrison, 6-4, 6-4; C. Miller and R. N. Black beat R. H. Palmer and E. L. Tailer, 4-6, 10-8, 6-4; P. Schultze-Berge and W. N. Jennings, Jr., beat G. Smith and G. A. Antonides, 0-6, 6-3, 6-3; N. F. Charlock and C. L. Cole beat R. W. Seabury and L. H. Cook, 3-6, 6-4, 6-3; T. R. Pell and Robert LeRoy beat W. B. Cragin, Jr., and H. M. Glazebrook, 6-4, 6-2; H. Tallant and W. D. Lyon beat J. B. Close and G. McKenzie, by default; B. Berry and H. D. Tucker beat J. C. Pearce and C. Lemcke, by default.

First Round: M. S. Charlock and T. C. Trask beat K. M. Boorman and G. W. Jacques, by default; Westfall and Mollenhauer beat Knight and Kyte, 6-3, 6-2; Smith and Reynolds beat Rosenbaum and West, 6-3, 0-4, defaulted; Anderson and Hincks beat Cochran and Brown 10-8, 6-2; Miller and Black beat Schultze-Berge and Jennings, 6-8, 6-1, 6-4; Pell and LeRoy beat Charlock and Cole, 6-1, 6-2; Tallant and Lyon beat Berry and Tucker, 6-2, 6-3; F. E. and L. H. Ferris beat C. W. Throckmorton and F. P. Warfield, 6-2, 4-6, 8-4.

Second Round: Westfall and Mollenhauer beat Charlock and Trask, by default; Anderson and Hincks beat Smith and Reynolds, 6-1, 6-1; Pell and LeRoy beat Miller and Black, 6-0, 6-4; Tallant and Lyon beat Ferris and Ferris, 3-6, 6-1, 6-3.

Semi-final Round: Anderson and Hincks beat Westfall and Mollenhauer, 2-6, 6-3, 6-2; Pell and LeRoy beat Tallant and Lyon, 6-2, 6-3.

Final Round: Pell and LeRoy beat Anderson and Hincks, 6-8, 6-3, 7-5, 6-2.

Women's Doubles.

Preliminary Round: Miss Woodruff and Miss Tucker beat Mrs. McAneny and Miss Gardner, 6-4, 13-15, 9-7. Miss Scharman and Mrs. Boardman beat Miss Waring and Miss Wright, 2-6, 6-4, 7-5.

First Round: Miss Handy and Miss Irving beat the Misses Goddard, by default; Miss Johnson and Miss Coffin beat Miss Woodruff and Miss Tucker, 6-3, 6-1; Miss Thomas and Miss Bogart beat Miss Scharman

and Mrs. Boardman, 6-2, 5-7, 6-2; Mrs. Edgar and Miss Robinson beat Miss Jenkins and Miss Wagner, 6-4, 6-2.

Semi-final Round: Miss Johnson and Miss Coffin beat Miss Handy and Miss Irving, 7-5, 4-6, 10-8; Mrs. Edgar and Miss Robinson beat Miss Thomas and Miss Bogart, 6-4, 6-2.

Final Round: Miss Johnson and Miss Coffin beat Mrs. Edgar and Miss Robinson, 6-1, 6-1.

Mixed Doubles.

Final Round: Miss Coffin and Mr. LeRoy beat Mrs. Edgar and Mr. Miller, 6-4, 6-2.

IRVING C. WRIGHT
Winner Wentworth Tournament

WENTWORTH TOURNAMENT.

Twenty-fifth Anniversary.

THE annual Wentworth tournament held its twenty-fifth anniversary on the courts of the Wentworth Hotel, Newcastle, N. H., July 31 and following days and everything seemed to favor the event. The weather was remarkable as there was but one disagreeable day during the entire week. The entry list was large and the players were very evenly ranked. Not only the 300 guests of the hotel were interested but a number of tennis enthusiasts came each day from the neighboring summer resorts.

Without a doubt the most noted player was Mr. G. M. Brinley now rector of St. Paul's School, Concord, N. H. Mr. Brinley was one of the first to participate in a Wentworth tournament and in those days he was among the first ten players of this country, winning the all-comers in 1885 and being runner-up with H. A. Taylor in the Doubles the following year. He is left-handed, aggressive and accurate. It was through the thoughtfulness and efforts of Mr. Brinley that a beautiful loving cup was presented to Mr. George Wright (who has been interested in the Wentworth tournament during these twenty-five years,) with the following inscription:

Presented to
Mr. George Wright
Twenty-fifth Anniversary
of the
Wentworth Lawn Tennis Tournament as a token of appreciation of what he has done for the game and for the players.
August 4, 1906.

Mr. Wright replied to the presentation by thanking Mr. Brinley and the players and also touched on the history of the Wentworth tournament stating that almost every Champion of the United States had taken part, and that for a tournament that had no Championship title attached to it that the average play, out-classed any other tennis event.

Among the thirty-two entries for Singles it was generally thought that

one of the Plimptons, Russ, or I. C. Wright would win. The matches were all hotly contested and it was not until Plimpton beat Russ in a very exciting, well-played three-set match that the committee knew who was to play Wright in the Finals. The Final match was a long four-set affair. Both players ran to the net on every occasion and were sure over head. Plimpton had a winning fore hand cross court stroke and was more brilliant, but Wright won through his steadiness, accuracy and better judgment.

In the Doubles Brinley and Nichols or Wright and Johnson were picked to win, but unfortunately, these teams met in the Semi-Finals. The tennis was fast and although Brinley and Nichols had superior ground strokes, the aggressive net play and sharp volleying of their opponents was too much. The score is a peculiar one and really does not show the closeness of the match, which made a splendid end to a most successful week. B. C. Wright and Jarvis Geer, (Ex-Champion of Pittsburg in Doubles, with Mr. Byers,) won their way to the Finals but unfortunately had to default.

Scores:

Singles.

First Round: C. G. Plimpton beat W. Kennard, 6-3, 6-1; C. C. Hackett beat W. P. Hall, 6-1, 6-0; A. T. Kniffin beat V. Kennard, 6-2, 6-3; C. H. Farber beat J. M. Abbott, 6-1, 6-1: E. A. Mead beat A. N. Reggio, 6-3, 5-7, 6-4; L. S. Bull beat R. L. James by default. S. Russ beat Allen, 6-0, 6-1; E. S. Blagden beat H. Plimpton, 6-2, 7-5; A. B. Rotch beat J. D. Cassels, 7-5, 6-3; L. H. Martin beat W. C. Freeman, 6-3, 6-4; J. O. Ames beat C. M. Sheafe, Jr., 6-0, 6-0; T. B. Plimpton beat A. Thayer, 4-6, 6-3, 6-1: J. Darragh beat W. P. Blodgett, 6-4, 6-2; I. C. Wright beat M. Tilden, 6-2, 6-4; F. B. McDonell beat McLane by default; A. Sweetser beat H. Denny, 8-6, 6-4.

Second Round: C. G. Plimpton beat Hackett, 6-1, 6-1; Farber beat Kniffin, 6-3, 6-1: Mead beat Bull, 6-2, 4-6, 6-1; Russ beat Blagden, 6-2, 6-0; Martin beat Rotch, 6-3, 6-2; Ames beat Plimpton, 6-4, 5-7, 6-2; Wright beat Darragh, 6-1, 6-2; Sweetzer beat McDonell, 6-2, 6-2.

Third Round: Plimpton beat Farber, 6-1, 9-7; Russ beat Mead 6-0, 6-2; Martin beat Ames, 6-1, 5-7, 6-3; Wright beat Sweetzer, 7-5, 6-3.

Semi-final Round: Plimpton beat Russ, 6-4, 4-6, 8-6; Wright beat Martin, 6-2, 6-3.

Final Round: Wright beat Plimpton, 6-3, 6-4, 4-6, 11-9.

Doubles.

First Round: Darragh and Reggio beat Hackett and Sheafe, 6-3, 6-1; B. C. Wright and Geer beat Mead and Allen, 6-3, 6-4; Russ and Farber beat Martin and Sweetzer, 4-6, 6-4, 6-2; Plimpton and Plimpton beat Blagden and Cassel, 8-6, 6-4; Wright and Johnson beat Kniffin and McDonell, 6-1, 6-2; Brinley and Nichols beat Tilden and Bull, 7-5, 6-1.

Second Round: Darragh and Reggio beat Rotch and Plimpton, 6-1 6-4; Wright and Geer beat Russ and Farber, 4-6, 6-2; Wright and Johnson beat Plimpton and Plimpton, 6-3, 5-7, 10-8; Brinley and Nichols beat Denny and Thayer, 6-1, 6-1.

Semi-final Round: Wright and Geer beat Darragh and Reggio, 6-4, 6-3; Wright and Johnson beat Brinley and Nichols, 6-3, 0-6, 6-0.

Final Round: I. C. Wright and C. Johnson beat B. C. Wright and Geer by default.

COUNTRY CLUB OF SPRINGFIELD TOURNAMENT.

THE first open tournament of the Country Club of Springfield, Mass. under the auspices of the U. S. National Lawn Tennis Association, was held on the club courts from July 10 to 14. Owing to conflicting dates with two other tournaments several expected entries were scratched at the last moment. Notwithstanding this fact, the tournament brought out some very interesting tennis.

The Singles was won by Robert LeRoy of New York, who defeated Franics W. Cole of Hartford in the Final round. LeRoy also won in the Doubles, being paired with Richard Hooker of Springfield. The Consolation round was won by L. H. Fitch of New York.

MASSACHUSETTS SOUTH SHORE OPEN TOURNAMENT.

THE seventh annual open tennis tournament for the Massachusetts South Shore Championship, was held this year as usual at North Scituate Beach on the Hatherly Club courts, during the week Aug. 20 to 25. In the lower half the best players were drawn, the Plimpton brothers meeting in the second round. This proved to be a well-played match and went to the younger player in straight sets. In the upper half E. A. Mead of Dorchester defeated F. Whiting Hill of Worcester in the Semi-Finals, but was not strong enough to win out in the Final round against E. Ray Speare, who beat Mead in straight sets.

The Challenge round was somewhat disappointing as Speare failed to make any showing against Irving Wright. The latter, fresh from a string of victories at Newport completely outclassed the Newton Center man, and after being beaten two sets, Mr. Speare defaulted the third. This victory gives Mr. Wright two legs on the trophy offered by the Hatherly Club.

The Men's Doubles were won by the Plimpton brothers. The first two sets were won by their opponents but by a remarkable brace and consistent playing they pulled the last three. This match was most nteresting and witnessed by a large gallery.

Scores:

Gentlemen's Singles.

First Round: Richard Kimball beat M. V. O'Neil, 6-3, 6-2; E. A. Mead beat N. A. Nesbit by default; L. M. Bacon beat H. S. Woodbury, 6-2, 3-6, 6-3; F. W. Hill beat G. F. Spaulding, 6-3, 11-9; H. L. Doten beat E. H. Wilkins, 5-7, 6-1, 7-5; E. R. Speare beat C. R. Currier, 3-6, 6-1, 6-4; C. G. Plimpton beat S. E. Sweet, 6-2, 6-0; T. B. Plimpton beat H. W. Robinson, 7-5, by default.

Second Round: E. A. Mead beat R. Kimball, 7-5, 3-6, 6-3; F. W. Hill beat L. M. Bacon, 6-3, 6-2; E. R. Speare beat H. L. Doten, 6-3, 6-2; C. G. Plimpton beat T. B. Plimpton, 6-1, 6-3.

Semi-final Round: E. A. Mead beat F. W. Hill, 6-1, 6-4; E. R. Speare beat C. G. Plimpton, 4-6, 6-4, 6-3.

Final Round: E. R. Speare beat E. A. Mead, 6-3, 6-4, 6-2.

Challenge Round: Irving Wright beat E. R. Speare, 6-1, 6-0, by default.

Gentlemen's Doubles.

First Round: Currier and Sweet beat Hill and Small, 6-0, 9-7. Dutton and Wellington beat Woodbury and Wilkins, 6-3, 6-4. Plimpton and Plimpton beat Bacon and Kimball, 9-7, 2-6, 6-3. Johnson and Speare beat Doten and Mead, 6-3, 6-3.

Semi-final Round: Currier and Sweet beat Dutton and Wellington, 7-5, 6-1. Plimpton and Plimpton beat Johnson and Speare, 7-5, 9-7.

Final Round: C. G. Plimpton and T. B. Plimpton beat Currier and Sweet, 4-6, 5-6, 6-2, 7-5, 6-1.

Consolations won by C. R. Currier, 5-7, 7-5, 6-2.

NORTHWESTERN LAWN TENNIS CHAMPIONSHIP.

THE annual tennis tournament for the Championship of the Northwest, was held during the last week in July, at Deephaven, Lake Minnetonka, under the auspices of the Minnetonka Yacht Club.

Visiting players assembled from the Dakotas, Canada and Iowa, as well as from Chicago and Cincinnati, the most prominent being L. H. Waidner, Nat. Emerson, R. G. Hunt, W. D. Love, Kriegh Collins, J. H. Wheeler and W. E. Blatherwick.

The Singles tournament brought forth good matches between Hunt vs. Love, Emerson vs. Hunt, and Waidner vs. Emerson, of which the five-sets match in the Semi-Finals between Emerson and Hunt was the most closely contested of the tournament. In the Finals, Waidner won from Emerson in a four-set, closely contested match. but in the Challenge match, which brought forth brilliant though uneven playing, was unable to wrest the title from Kriegh Collins.

The outcome of the Doubles furnished the surprise of the tournament. Waidner and Emerson who had, in the previous week, won the Western Championship, were expected to win easily. Opposed to them in the Semi-Finals was the Canadian, W. D. Love and T. N. Jayne, the Champion of Dakota,—steady, careful players, thoroughly familiar with match playing.

Much credit is due to the victors for the skilled manner in which they directed their play, and too much praise cannot be bestowed upon the sportsmanship of the vanquished. Emerson's willingness to play two consecutive hard matches, with a total of 88 games, will long be remembered.

Scores:

Singles.

Preliminary Round: J. H. Wheeler beat R. Loesch by default; W. C. Burton beat S. Thompson, 6-2, 6-3; H. V. A. Bruchholz beat F. E. Phillips by default; Robt. Storms beat Rhem by default; H. M. Jones beat E. Moulton, 10-8, 6-1. Burton beat Wheeler, 6-1, 6 3; Storms beat Bruchholz ,6-1, 6-3; Nat Emerson beat Jones, 6-2, 6-0; R. H. Chaney beat P. Gardner by default; W. Thayer beat W. T. Hayes by default; W. E. Blatherwick beat Kinyon, 6-4, 2-6, 6-3; R. G. Hunt beat E. Reese

by default; W. D. Love beat L. W. Day, 6-0, 6-1; T. K. Thompson beat H. Byford by default; R. Greer beat J. E. Ricker, 2-6, 6-4, 6-1; T. N. Jayne beat W. H. Bates, 6-0, 6-4; J. J. Rodgers beat L. H. Northrop by default; G. K. Belden beat J. O. B. Larned by default; Geo. Beckwith beat Breaker by default; L. H. Waidner beat B. B. Dow by default; W. S. Lafans, bye.

First Round: Burton beat Storms, 6-0, 4-6, 6-1; Emerson beat Chaney, 6-0, 6-1; Blatherwick beat Thayer, 6-2, 6-0; Hunt beat Love, 8-6, 1-6, 6-1; T. K. Thompson beat Greer, 6-3, 6-4; Jayne beat Rogers, 6-1, 6-1; Beckwith beat Belden by default; Waidner beat Lafans, 6-0, 6-1.

Second Round: Emerson beat Burton, 6-4, 7-5; Hunt beat Blatherwick, 6-1, 6-2; Jayne beat Thompson, 6-3, 7-5; Waidner beat Beckwith, 6-0, 6-0.

Semi-final Round: Emerson beat Hunt, 7-5, 4-6, 3-6, 6-0, 9-7; Waidner beat Jayne, 6-1, 6-0, 6-0.

Final Round: Waidner beat Emerson, 6-3, 6-3, 3-6, 6-3.

Championship Round: Kriegh Collins (holder) beat L. H. Waidner (challenger) 4-6, 6-3, 7-5, 1-6, 6-2.

Consolation Singles: Won by J. H. Wheeler.

Doubles.

Preliminary Round: Wheeler and Blatherwick beat Belden and Belden by default; Thompson and Greer beat Jones and Kinyon, 6-4, 6-2, 6-2; Hunt and Burton beat Bates and S. Thompson, 6-1, 6-2, 6-0.

First Round: Wheeler and Blatherwick beat Thompson and Greer, 6-1, 6-2, 4-6, 8-6; Hunt and Burton beat , 6-3, 6-4, 6-2. Jayne and Love beat Thayer and Storms, 6-2, 6-4, 6-1; Waidner and Emerson beat Phillip and Dow by default.

Semi-final Round: Hunt and Burton beat Wheeler and Blatherwick, 6-3, 6-4, 6-2; Jayne and Love beat Waidner and Emerson, 6-4, 6-1, 2-6, 6-4.

Final Round: Hunt and Burton beat Jayne and Love, 6-2, 4-6, 6-2, 6-4.

NORFOLK, CONN., OPEN TOURNAMENT.

THE twelfth open tournament for the Bridgeman cup was held on the two excellent dirt courts of the Eldridge Gymnasium at Norfolk, Conn., as usual, during the second week in August 7 to 11, 1906.

There were twenty-five entries and play of a high order was developed from the start.

For the third time the winner in Singles was Robert LeRoy of Columbia University and becomes the owner of the cup. Richard Hooker of Springfield, Mass., and Robert LeRoy won the Doubles and K. Bulkley of New York took the Consolation Singles. The tournament has grown constantly in favor, and new players make their appearance each year to contest for honors. All contestants participate in the draw, prizes are given to the winner and runner-up in Singles, and to the winners in Doubles and Consolation Singles.

The winner's name and date are engraved on the chief cup, and he may have the custody of the cup for the ensuing year. The cup must be won three times to become the personal property of an individual. Norfolk is easily reached from points along the New York & New Haven Railroad, and from Hartford, Poughkeepsie and Rhinecliff, via the Central New England Railroad. The elevation of Norfolk is nearly 1,400 feet and the place is well supplied with hotels and boarding houses for a comfortable stay.

Singles.

Preliminary Round: R. R. King beat K. E. Gillett, 6-4, 7-5; R. Hooker beat H. D. Smith, 6-1, 6-0; C. M. Relyea beat E. Brown, 6-3, 6-0; Wadsworth beat R. F. Williams, 6-2, 6-3; J. Holcombe, Jr., beat C. Carter, 6-2, 6-4; J. Chapin beat W. Howard by default; R. Thompson beat L. Cromwell, 6-4, 6-1; R. LeRoy beat O. Stahl, 6-3, 7-5; J. Meyers beat K. Bulkley, 6-2, 7-5.

First Round: H. D. Bulkley beat R. S. Dustin by default; R. R. King beat L. Mason, 6-4, 6-2; R. Hooker beat C. M. Relyea, 6-0, 6-3; Wadsworth beat J. Holcombe, Jr., 6-3, 6-2; R. Thompson beat J. Chapin, 6-3, 6-1; R. LeRoy beat J. Mayars, 6-3, 8-6; C. Post beat F. Camp, 6-3, 5-7, 6-2; G. S. Groesbeck beat J. P. Dreer, 6-1, 6-0.

Second Round: H. D. Bulkley beat R. R. King, 6-1, 7-5; R. Hooker beat Wadsworth, 6-1, 6-0; R. LeRoy beat R. Thompson, 6-1, 6-4; G. S. Groesbeck beat C. Post, 4-6, 6-4, 8-6.

Semi-final Round: R. Hooker beat H. D. Bulkley, 6-3, 6-1; R. LeRoy beat S. G. Groesbeck, 6-0, 6-1.

Final Round: LeRoy beat Hooker, 5-7, 6-1, 5-7, 6-1, 6-1.

Doubles.

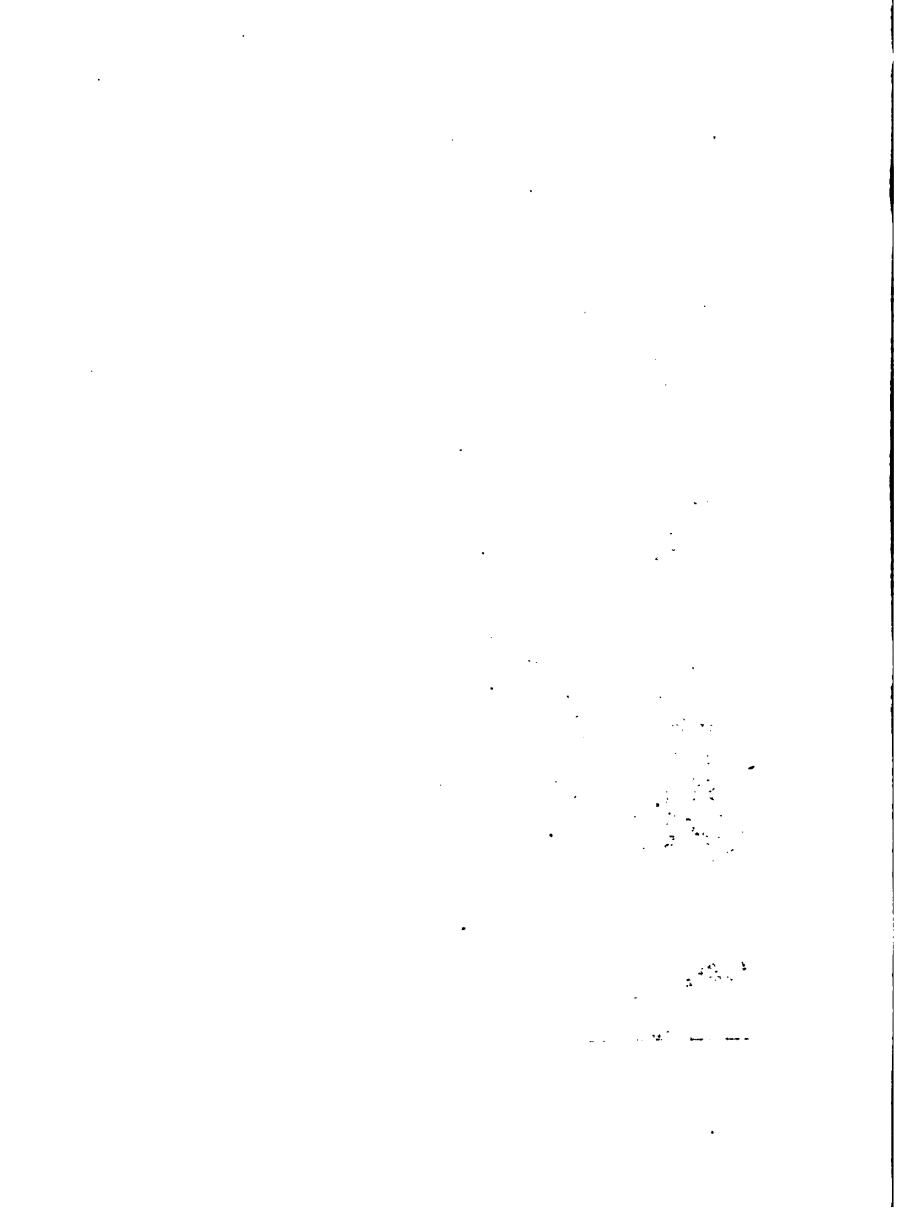
First Round: Post and Wardsworth beat Groesbeck and Newton, 6-3, 8-6; Hooker and LeRoy beat Gillett and Stahl, 6-1, 6-2; Relyea and Bulkley beat Greer and Holcombe, 6-3, 6-4.

Second Round: Camp and Thompson beat Smith and King, 6-1, 6-2; Hooker and LeRoy beat Post and Wadsworth, 6-4, 6-2; Relyea and Bulkley beat LaVake and Myers, 6-3, 6-2; Mason and Perry beat Brown and Carter, 6-4, 6-4.

Semi-final Round: Hooker and LeRoy beat Thompson and Camp, 6-1, 6-1; Relyea and Bulkley beat Mason and Perry, 6-3, 6-3.

Final Round: Hooker and LeRoy beat Relyea and Bulkley, 6-0, 6-2.

SEMP RUSS, Winner White Mountain Tournament



WHITE MOUNTAIN LAWN TENNIS CHAMPIONSHIP. 1906.

THE first annual open tournament for the Championship of the White Mountains under the auspices of the U. S. N. L. T. A. took place on the courts of the Crawford House Tennis Club, August 15, 1906, and continued through the week. Favored by beautiful weather and a large entry list of about fifty participants, it was a most pronounced success. The central location of the courts of the Crawford House Tennis Club in the very heart of the White Mountain region enabled a large gallery to be present daily from the many hotels and cottages throughout the White Mountains. Much enthusiasm was manifested and the most excellent tennis shown particularly by Mr. Semp Russ, Mr. Geo. Brooke, Mr. W. B. Cragin, Jr.. Mr. E. B. Cornwall, Mr. T. B. Plimpton, Mr. Gardner Walworth, Mr. N. H. Batchelder and Mr. Chas. Fettrech and was much appreciated. It was generally commented upon that owing to the great number of tourists and pleasure seekers who are always to be found in the White Mountains, these annual tournaments, the second of which will be held early in August 1907, will become one of the most prominent tennis features of New England.

The 1906 Champion, Mr. Semp Russ. well earned his title and the trophy that went with it by his vigorous and consistent splendid tennis shown from beginning to end. By far the best match in Singles proved to be the Semi-Finals between Mr. Russ and Mr. Brooke. Brooke's tennis at times was superb but Russ's superb condition and continuous fine play won for him a most exciting match.

In Doubles the most interesting tennis was seen in the match between Messrs Cragin and Miller and Messrs Young and Evans.

The first prize in Doubles was finally carried off by Messrs Russ and Cornwall who defeated Messrs Cragin and Miller handily in the Finals.

Singles.

First Round: O. C. Keith defeated C. A. Pratt, 6 1, 6-4; C. A. Evans defeated Chas. Nikler, 4-6, 6-2, 6-2; H. P. Banks defeated A. H. Bradshaw by default; W. B. Cragin, Jr., defeated W. O. Batchelder, 6-0, 6-0; F. Murray defeated C. W. Jones by default; E. B. Cornwall

defeated A. W. Carter, 6-1, 6-2; Geo. Brooke defeated Richard Marble, 6-1, 6-2; N. H. Batchelder defeated John Darraugh, 6-2, 0-6, 6-2; G. S. Montgomery defeated Stanley Henshaw by default; Semp Russ defeated C. F. Young, 6-1. 6-3; Chas. Fettrech defeated E. S. Peck, 6-2, 6-2; T. B. Plimpton defeated A. P. Hunt. 6-3, 6-3; H. W. Jarvis defeated W. E. Bander by default; E. A. Carter defeated E. H. Frank by default; Gardner Walworth defeated J. D. E. Jones by default; F. H. Pillsbury defeated M. Schwartsenbaum by default.

Second Round: Keith defeated Evans, 0-6, 6-1, 6-4; Carter defeated Jarvis, 6-4, 6-0; Brooke defeated Walworth, 7-9, 8-6, 6-4; Russ defeated Pillsbury, 6-0, 6-4; Cragin defeated Banks, 6-4. 6-1; Cornwall defeated Murray by default; Batchelder defeated Montgomery, 6-3, 6-3; Fettrech defeated Plimpton, 6-4, 3-6, 6-2.

Third Round: W. B. Cragin, Jr., defeated H. C. Keith, 6-1, 6-2; E. B. Cornwall defeated C. A. Carter, 6-0, 6-2; Geo. Brooke defeated H. Batchelder, 6-1, 9-7; Semp Russ defeated C. Fettrech, 6-2, 6-2.

Semi-final Round: Cragin defeated Cornwall 6-1, 6-2; Russ defeated Brooke, 6-8, 6-4, 6-1.

Final Round: Semp Russ defeated W. B. Cragin, Jr., 6-2, 6-1 6-2.

Doubles.

First Round: C. F. Fettrech and H. P. Banks beat E. H. Frank and R. Schwartsenbaum by default; W. B. Cragin, Jr., and C. Miller beat H. V. Keith and A. H. Veazey, 6-1, 6-1; C. F. Young and C. A. Evans beat Stanley and Henshaw by default; Semp Russ and E. B. Cornwall beat A. H. Bradshaw and C. W. Jones by default; E. B. Plimpton and G. Brooke beat the Rev. A. P. Hunt and R. Marble, 6-1, 6-1; J. Darragh and O. S. Jeffrey beat M. E. Bandler and M. Levy by default; S. H. Pillsbury and G. Walworth beat J. D. E. Jones and partner by default.

Second Round: W. B. Cragin, Jr. and C. Miller beat C. Fettrech and H. P. Banks, 2-6, 6-3, 10-8; C. F. Young and C. A. Cram beat P. W. and C. A. Carter, 6-0, 6-2; S. H. Pillsbury and G. Walworth beat J. Darragh and O. S. Jeffrey, 6-1, 6-3.

Semi-final Round: Cragin and Miller defeated Young and Evans, 4-6, 8-6, 6-1; Russ and Cornwall defeated Pillsbury and Walworth, 6-1, 6-3.

Final Round: Semp Russ and C. B. Cornwall defeated W. B. Cragin, Jr., and C. Miller, 6-2, 6-1, 6-3.

Consolation.

Final Round: G. Walworth defeated C. F. Young, 6-4, 6-3.

PACIFIC NORTHWEST CHAMPIONSHIP.

THE sixteenth annual tournament for the championship of the Pacific Northwest held on the new courts of the Tacoma Lawn Tennis Club, August 7 and following days, proved to be far-and-away the most representative and largest meet of experts ever held in this jurisdiction. All previous records were broken, and the greatest interest and enthusiasm was aroused. The principal cups contested for at this meeting were the famous Thorne cup, open, for Men's Singles; Pacific N. W. Championship; the Ashton cup, open, for Ladies' Singles; the Multnomah cup, for Singles Championships of the International League; the Tacoma cups, open, for Men's Doubles, Pacific N. W. Championship; and the International Cups for Championship of the International Association; the two latter pair being presented by the Tacoma Club and played for the first time this year.

One source of additional interest, bringing many players from far away, was the annual tournament of the Pacific Northwest International Association, an organization of clubs in British Columbia, Washington, and Oregon, which was played off early in the same week, and which is limited to two entries from each club. There were, also, many of Tacoma's old-time visitors who were not down last year, and so had never seen the handsome new club house and ideal grounds which have done so much to create new interest in the game in this section.

In the open Championships practically all of the first-class players in this section, with only one or two exceptions, entered the tournament, including the best representatives from Seattle, Portland, Oregon, Spokane, Everett, Victoria, B. C., Vancouver, B. C., Olympia, and Tacoma. Never before have all the cities within the circuit been so fully represented by their best men. There were besides Messrs Thorndyke and Beals, of Boston, and other representatives from several of the eastern states, the Misses Ryan of Pasadena, California.

In the Ladies' events the Ryans had everything their own way, of course, local players never having been up against anything of this kind before.

This was the first time that the Pacific Northwest has witnessed the wonderful play of the famous women of Pasadena; and their play was a great treat to a highly appreciative audience.

Among the men, Frank A. Payne, of Tacoma, a recent arrival, formerly champion of the Gulf States, proved his superiority over any of the local players at this tournament; and, indeed, without a doubt, over any of the past or present Pacific Northwest men. Joe Tyler, of Seattle, fresh from his victory at Victoria,—the first American, by the way, to win that event—was twice defeated by Payne. Walter A. Goss, the title holder, went down to defeat before Tyler, but only after a very close match, in which Goss was playing for the match point several times in the last set. W. A. McBurney, the Champion of the International League, was unfortunately suffering from a sprained ankle, and so was not the factor in the contest that he should have been, to the great disappointment of his many friends. The Eastern men entered were outclassed by the local players.

The Final Rounds in the Pacific Northwest Open Championships resulted as follows:

Ladies' Singles.

Miss E. Ryan won from Miss A. Ryan, 7-5, 6-4.

Ladies' Doubles.

The Misses Ryan won from Miss Loomis and Miss Robertson.

Ladies and Gentlemen's Doubles.

Miss E. Ryan and J. A. Rithet won from Miss A. Ryan and R. H. Pooley, 6-4, 3-6, 6-4.

Men's Singles.

Semi-final Round: F. A. Payne, of Tacoma, defeated W. A. McBurney, of Spokane, 6-0, 6-1; Joe Tyler, of Seattle, defeated B. H. Wickersham, of Portland, 6-3, 6-3.

Final Round: Payne defeated Tyler, 8-6, 7-5, 6-4.

Men's Doubles.

Semi-final Round: Payne and Armstrong, of Tacoma, defeated Gross and Wickersham, of Portland, 6-0, 6-4; Russell and Tyler of Seattle, defeated Thorndyke and Beals, of Boston, 6-1, 6-2.

Final Round: Russell and Tyler defeated Payne and Armstrong, 8-6, 6-0, 6-4.

In the International Association games, between the chosen representatives of the various clubs, the results were as follows:

Singles.

Semi-final Round: F. A. Payne, of Tacoma, defeated S. L. Russell, of Seattle, 6-2, 12-10; Joe Tyler, of Seattle, defeated H. R. Pooley, of Victoria, 4-6, 6-2, 6-2.

Final Round: Payne defeated Tyler, 7-9, 8-6, 4-6, 6-2, 6-4.

In the Challenge round against the holder, Payne defeated W. A. McBurney, of Spokane, 6-1, 6-3, 6-3.

Doubles.

Semi-final Round: Pooley and Rithet, of Victoria, defeated Russell and Tyler, of Seattle, 6-1, 5-7, 7-5; Payne and Armstrong of Tacoma, defeated McBurney and Drake, of Spokane. 6-3, 6-2.

Final Round: Payne and Armstrong defeated Pooley and Rithet, 8-6, 6-0, 6-4.

NEW YORK LAWN TENNIS CLUB OPEN TOURNAMENT

THE tournament was played May 27 and following days and was most successful, competition being particularly keen for possession of the new $500 Felipe Challenge Cup, presented by Mr. Jose E. Chaves, to the New York Lawn Tennis Club. The cup was won by Mr. H. H. Hackett in the Finals from C. C. Kelley, Westside Tennis Club, in a closely competed match, the score being, 6-4, 7-5, 8-6.

The Championship in Doubles for New York City was won for the second time by H. H. Hackett and J. A. Allen, from Allison and Anderson, the score being, 6-2, 6-3, 6-4.

Singles—Felipe Challenge Cup.

First Round: H. L. Westfall beat F. P. Fox, by default; H. H. Hackett beat O.Hincks, 6-0, 6-3; T. R. Pell beat H. Torrance, by default; W. V. Bennett beat L. R. Lawyer, 5-7, 6-3, 6-2; H. Tallant beat Morris Clark, 6-2, 6-3; W. Rosenbaum beat R. M. Beckley, 6-4, 6-1; J. C. Torrey beat A. Hoskins, by default; F. G. Anderson beat G. L. Weyth, 6-1, 6-3; H. P. Smith beat J. K. Smith, 6-3, 6-0; H. Mollenhauer beat H. Richards, Jr., 6-2, 6-4; W. H. Connell beat J. Schuer, 6-4, 6-0; A. S. Cragin beat B. S. Prentice, by default; W. C. Grant beat Ross Burchard, 6-1, 6-4; R. T. Bryan beat E. A. Freshman, 7-5, 6-2; C. C. Kelley beat O. M. Sternfeld, 7-5, 6-0; D. E. Roberts beat J. Carney, 6-2, 6-4.

Second Round: Hackett beat Westfall. 7-5, 6-1; Pell beat Bennett, 6-0, 6-0; Tallant beat Rosenbaum, 6-2, 6-3; Anderson beat Torrey, 6-1, 6-3; Mollenhauer beat Smith, 8-6, 6-2; Cragin beat Connell, 6-4, 6-4; Grant beat Bryan. 6-2, 6-3; Kelley beat Roberts, 6-4, 7-5.

Third Round: Hackett beat Pell, 6-4, 6-3; Anderson beat Tallant, 9-7, 7-5; Mollenhauer beat Cragin, 6-2, 6-1; Kelley beat Grant, 6-4, 5-7, 6-3.

Semi-final Round: Hackett beat Anderson, 2-6, 6-0, 6-3; Kelley beat Mollenhauer, 6-3, 6-3.

Final Round: Hackett beat Kelley, 6-4, 7-5, 8-6.

Doubles—Manhattan Bowls.

Preliminary Round: L. J. Grant and A. Bassford beat B. S. Pren-

tice and partner, by default; H. L. Westfall and H Mollenhauer beat W. H. Connell and W. Rosenbaum 6-3, 6-2.

First Round: W. C. Grant and C. C. Kelley beat O.H. Hincks and H. P. Smith, 7-5, 6-3; L. H. Hill and J. K. Smith beat N. G. Johnson and partner by default; M. S. Clark and D. E. Roberts beat A. L. Hoskins and partner, by default; R. M. Beckley and J. C. Donnell beat Grant and Bassford, 6-4, 10-8; Westfall and Mollenhauer beat T. R. Pell and H. Torrance, 6-4, 6-4; F. G. Anderson and F. B. Alexander beat A. Lovibond and H. Hall, by default; R. T. Bryan and G. L. Wyeth beat J. Steinacher and B. C. Falls, 6-0, 6-4; O. M. Sternfeld and A. S. Cragin beat F. P. Fox and partner, by default.

Second Round: Grant and Kelley beat Hill and Smith, 6-2, 6-0; Clark and Roberts beat Beckley and Donnell, 6-4, 6-1; Anderson and Alexander beat Westfall and Mollenhauer, 6-2, 6-4; Bryan and Wyeth beat Sternfeld and Cragin, 6-1, 7-5.

Semi-final Round: Grant and Kelley beat Clark and Roberts, 6-2, 6-2, Anderson and Alexander beat Bryan and Wyeth, 6-1, 7-5.

Final Round: Anderson and Alexander beat Grant and Kelley, 6-3, 6-3, 7-5.

Challenge Round: H. H. Hackett and J. A. Allen, holders, beat Anderson and Alexander, challengers, 6-2, 6-3, 6-4.

Handicap: R. T. Bryan minus 30 won from a field of 48, beating G. L. Wyeth, minus 30, in the Final round, 8-6, 6-2, 6-0.

METROPOLITAN CHAMPIONSHIP.

THE Metropolitan Championship was held on the dirt courts of the West Side Tennis Club, June 4 and following days.

Scores:

Men's Singles.

Preliminary Round: B. S. Prentice beat H. P. Banks, 6-2, 6-1; D. V. Robertson beat E. B. Schley, by default; Ross Burchard beat W. V. Bennett, 6-1, 6-1; F. G. Anderson beat J. W. Alexander, 2nd, by default; H. J. Holt beat F. P. Fox, 6-2, 6-3; Hugh Tallant beat Brinkerhoff, 6-4, 6-3; T. R. Pell beat Wm. Rosenbaum, 6-0, 6-3; Artemus Holmes beat Robert LeRoy, by default; G. A. L. Dionne beat T. F. Hartmann, 6-1, 6-1; Charles Bull, Jr., beat Rufus Rowe, 6-1, 6-4; A. B. Wadsworth beat Hatzfeld, 6-3, 6-1; M. Hall beat Fetterich, 6-1, 6-4; E. A. Freshman beat R. Beckley, 6-2, 6-4; W. C. Grant beat G. W. Bodman, 6-3, 1-6, 7-5; Howard Homans beat T. Kearney, 6-3, 6-4; H. H. Hackett beat C. L. Campbell, 6-1, 6-1.

First Round: D. E. Roberts beat Sternfeld, by default; C. W. Throckmorton beat W. L. Pate, 6-3, 7-5; H. Torrance beat C. L. Wyeth, 6-1, 0-6, 6-2; A. C. Bostwick beat J. C. Donnell, by default; Prentice beat Robertson, 6-3, 7-5; Anderson beat Burchard, 6-4, 7-5; Tallant beat H. J. Holt, 6-3, 6-1; Pell beat Artemus Holmes, 6-1, 6-0; Dionne beat Charles Burr, Jr., 6-4, 9-7; Wadsworth beat Hall, 6-2, 6-4; Grant beat Freshman, 6-1, 6-4; Hackett beat Homans, 6-1, 6-1; Carlton beat Bryan, by default; Kelley beat Cragin, by default; Clark beat Richards, 7-5, 6-1; Westfall beat W. B. Cragin, Jr., 3-6, 7-5, 6-0.

Second Round: Roberts beat Throckmorton, 8-6, 8-6; Torrance beat Bostwick, 6-0, 6-1; Anderson beat Prentice, 6-2, 9-7; Tallant beat Pell, 7-5, 11-9; Wadsworth beat Dionne, 6-3, 6-2; Hackett beat Grant, 6 1, 6-2; Kelley beat Carlton, 6-3, 7-5; Westfall beat Clark, 6-4, 6-3.

Third Round: Torrance beat Roberts, 6-4, 6-4; Anderson beat Tallant, 6-1, 6-1; Hackett beat Wadsworth, 6-3, 6-3; Kelley beat Westfall, 6-1, 6-4.

Semi-final Round: Anderson beat Torrance, 6-1, 6-2; Hackett beat Kelley, 6-1, 1-6, 6-0.

Final Round: Hackett beat Anderson, 6-0, 6-0, 7-5.

Men's Doubles.

Preliminary Round: Prentice and Bodman beat Cragin and Lovibond, 6-3, 6-1; Wadsworth and Tallant beat Freshman and Steinaker, 6-2, 6-2; Connell and Rosenbaum beat LeRoy and partner, by default; Anderson and Burchard beat Clark and Roberts, 6-1, 4-6, 6-3; Kearney and Sternfeld beat E. B. Schley and partner, by default; Pell and Torrance beat A. S. Cragin and partner, by default; Trask and Westfall beat McMahon and partner, by default; Hackett and Alexander beat Carleton and Holt, 6-1, 9-7; Hincks and Hincks beat L. J. Grant and Thompson, by default; Homans and Inman beat Rowe and Mellick, 6-3, 6-1; Bryan and Wyeth beat Beckley and partner, by default.

First Round: Grant and Kelley beat Bostwick and Holmes, by default; Wadsworth and Tallant beat Prentice and Bodman, 3-6, 6-3, 6-4; Anderson and Burchard beat Connell and Rosenbaum, 6-2, 6-0; Pell and Torrance beat Kearney and Sternfeld, 6-1, 6-1; Hackett and Alexander beat Trask and Westfall, 6-2, 6-3; Hincks and Hincks beat Homans and Inman, 2-6, 6-1, 7-5; Bryan and Wyeth beat Hartmann and partner, by default; Bull and Campbell beat Donnell and partner, by default.

Second Round: Wadsworth and Tallant beat Grant and Kelley, 9-7, 9-7; Pell and Torrance, beat Anderson and Burchard, 7-5, 6-1; Hackett and Alexander beat Hincks and Hincks, 0-1, 7-5; Bull and Campbell beat Bryan and Wyeth, 6-4, 2-6, 4-5, (defaulted.)

Semi-final Round: Pell and Torrance beat Wadsworth and Tallant, 6-2, 6-4; Hackett and Alexander beat Bull and Campbell, 6-2, 6 1.

Final Round: Hackett and Alexander beat Pell and Torrance, 4-6, 6-3, 6-4, 6-4.

Metropolitan Woman's Championship.

Won by Miss H. Homans defeating Miss S. Homans, 6-1, 6-3.

Mixed Doubles.

Won by Miss H. Homans and Mr. Kelley defeating Miss Boldt and Mr. Trask 6-4, 8-6.

THE INTERCOLLEGIATE LAWN TENNIS ASSOCIATION.

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INTERCOLLEGIATE CHAMPIONSHIP.

THE twenty-sixth annual intercollegiate lawn tennis tournament was held at Haverford, Pa., on the courts of the Merion Cricket Club during the first week in October. In spite of inclement weather throughout the week, large crowds witnessed each day's play with unusual interest. The tennis enthusiasts were not disappointed in the style or the quality of the game as played by the collegians and applauded each good play heartily. At times the courts were too wet for very fast playing, but at all times the heady and accurate work of the contestants made the games most interesting and instructive.

The result of the tournament proves conclusively the right of Mr. LeRoy to the title of Intercollegiate Champion for 1906. Mr. LeRoy's game is a marvel of steadiness, and this quality together with his most thorough understanding of tennis removed nearly all questions of the final outcome as soon as his abilities were shown on the court. This is the second time LeRoy has held the title and collegians hail him as their worthy peer and regret that he will not be able to compete for the honor again. Dewhurst, of Pennsylvania, and Sulloway, of Harvard, were talked of as probabilities but they were unable to appear because of the eligibility rules of their universities. LeRoy was challenged but as the university held him eligible it was decided that the intercollegiate association should follow its custom in such matters until it should adopt eligibility rules to govern the entries.

ROBERT LE ROY,
Intercollegiate Champion.

Gordon, of Princeton, proved to be the greatest surprise of the tournament. He had not been considered in the running by those who were picking the players to make the best showing. However, he played through to LeRoy in the Semi-Final round after handily defeating Greer of Cornell, Abbott of Williams, and Kawasaki of Pennsylvania. Greer of Cornell, played Gordon, 9-11, 5-7, in the preliminary round which was one of the prettiest matches of the tournament. Kawasaki, a player of much experience, was expected to do better. Tilden, of Pennsylvania, and Pell of Harvard, played well throughout the tournament. Linen of Williams, and Morse of Harvard, both of whom were looked upon as strong players, were unfortunate in the drawing, both going down before LeRoy early in the tournament. Richardson, Princeton's captain, and Drennen, Cornell's captain, fought it out at length in the second round, the latter winning by a smaller margin than the score would indicate. Drennen could not hold the pace and was defeated by Tilden in the Tri-Finals in straight sets, the first of these being a nerve trial. Abbott of Williams played well but could not defeat Gordon. Yale had the misfortune to drop every match of Singles in the preliminary round and Haverford did not fare much better.

In Doubles, Yale had it all her own way, the two teams going to the Finals. Both teams — Wells and Spalding, and Partridge and Dolbeare—played together beautifully. It was their team work rather than their individual playing that won so consistently. Greer and Marston of Cornell, played Partridge and Dolbeare their closest match in the second round, but could not win Register and Tilden of Pennsylvania, played beautifully in the Semi-Final round against the same team until Tilden sprained his ankle in a fall on the court. Thomson and Pyne of Princeton were looked upon as one of the strongest teams in attendance, but they went down before Tilden's brilliant playing and Register's steadiness. Wells and Spalding, considered the best Yale team, played steadily and consistently throughout the tournament. The Finals between the two Yale teams brought out some exceptional team work. Wells and Spalding won out 6-1, 6-2, 6-1.

At the annual meeting of the Association a rule was adopted prohibiting all first year men and all men who have graduated from any institution which is a member of the Association, from being entered as contestants in the annual intercollegiate tournament. At this meeting it was decided to hold the next tournament on Wednesday, Oct. 2, and succeeding days until completed.

Scores:

Singles.

Preliminary Round: LeRoy (Columbia) beat Spalding (Yale), 6-1 3-6, 6-2; Linen (Williams) beat P. W. Brown (Haverford) ,6-4, 6-1; Pyne (Princeton) beat Bowes (Cornell), 6-4, 6-3; Morse (Harvard) beat Philler (Penn.), 6-0, 6-3; Abbott (Williams) beat Bailey (Haverford), 6-0, 6-1; Gordon (Princeton) beat Greer (Cornell), 11-9, 7-5; Kawasaki (Penn.) beat (Columbia) by default; Lovering (Harvard) beat Wells (Yale), 6-3, 6-1; Miller (Haverford) beat (Columbia), by default; Register (Penn.) beat T. K. Thompson (Williams), 6-2, 4-6, 6-0; Thomson (Princeton) beat Marston (Cornell), 6-3, 6-3; Pell (Harvard) beat Dolbeare (Yale), 6-1, 6-2; Drennen (Cornell) beat A. E. Brown (Haverford,) 3-6, 6-2, 7-5; Richardson (Princeton) beat S. Thompson (Williams) ,6-1, 6-1; Tilden (Penn.) beat (Columbia) by default; Dabney (Harvard) beat Partridge (Yale), 6-4, 6-4.

Second Round: LeRoy (Columbia) beat Linen (Williams), 6-4, 6-1; Morse (Harvard) beat Pyne (Princeton), 9-7, 6-3; Gordon (Princeton) beat Abbott (Williams), 7-5, 7-5; Kawasaki (Penn.) beat Lovering (Harvard), 6-2, 2-6, 6-2; Register (Penn.) beat Miller (Haverford), 6-4, 6-1; Pell (Harvard) beat Thomson (Princeton), 6-2, 6-4; Drennen (Cornell) beat Richardson (Princeton), 6-4, 4-6, 6-2; Tilden (Penn.) beat Dabney (Harvard), 6-8, 6-3, 6-2.

Third Round: LeRoy (Columbia) beat Morse (Harvard), 6-3, 7-5; Gordon (Princeton) beat Kawasaki (Penn.), 4-6, 6-4, 6-3; Pell (Harvard) beat Register (Penn.), 2-6, 6-3, 6-2; Tilden (Penn.) beat Drennen (Cornell), 9-7, 6-2.

Semi-final Round: LeRoy (Columbia) beat Gordon (Princeton), 6-3, 6-2; Pell (Harvard) beat Tilden (Penn.), 6-3, 4-6, 6-4.

Final Round: LeRoy (Columbia) beat Pell (Harvard), 6-0, 6-1, 6-3.

Doubles.

Preliminary Round: Dabney and Lovering (Harvard) beat Drennen and Bowles (Cornell), 6-3, 5-7, 6-2; Evans and A. E. Brown (Haverford) beat (Columbia), by default; Wells and Spalding (Yale) beat Kawasaki and Philler (Penn.), 6-3, 6-2; Richardson and Gordon (Princeton) beat Thompson and Thompson (Williams), 6-4, 6-4; Partridge and Dolbeare (Yale) beat (Columbia) ,by default; Greer and Marston (Cornell) beat Miller and P. W. Brown (Haverford),

6-0, 3-6, 6-0; Register and Tilden (Penn.) beat Abbott and Linen (Williams), 6-1, 6-2; Thomson and Pyne (Princeton) beat Pell and Morse (Harvard), 7-5, 4-6, 6-3.

First Round: Dabney and Lovering (Harvard) beat Evans and A. E. Brown (Haverford), 6-0, 6-2; Wells and Spalding (Yale) beat Richardson and Gordon (Princeton), 6-3, 6-0; Partridge and Dolbeare (Yale) beat Greer and Marston (Cornell), 8-6, 6-2; Register and Tilden (Penn.) beat Thomson and Pyne (Princeton), 6-3, 7-5.

Semi-final Round: Wells and Spalding (Yale) beat Dabney and Lovering (Harvard), 6-4, 6-4; Partridge and Dolbeare (Yale) beat Register and Tilden (Penn.), 2-6, 6-4, 6-3.

Final Round: Spalding and Wells (Yale) beat Partridge and Dolbeare (Yale), 6-1, 6-2, 6-1.

THE INTERCOLLEGIATE CHAMPIONS.

	YEAR	PLAYED AT	SINGLES	DOUBLES	
Spring,	1883.	Hartford.	J. S. Clark, Harvard.	J. S. Clark, H. A. Taylor,	Harvard.
Fall,	1883.	Hartford.	H. A. Taylor, Harvard.	H. A. Taylor, P. E. Presbrey,	Harvard.
	1884.	Hartford.	W. P. Knapp, Yale.	W. P. Knapp, W. V. S. Thorne,	Yale.
	1885.	New Haven.	W. P. Knapp, Yale.	W. P. Knapp, H. W. Shipman,	Yale.
	1886.	New Haven.	G. M. Brinley, Trinity.	W. P. Knapp, W. L. Thatcher,	Yale.
	1887.	New Haven.	P. S. Sears, Harvard.	P. S. Sears, Q. A. Shaw, Jr.,	Harvard.
	1888.	New Haven.	P. S. Sears, Harvard.	V. G. Hall, O. S. Campbell,	Columbia.
	1889.	New Haven.	R. P. Huntington, Jr., Yale.	O. S. Campbell, A. E. Wright,	Columbia.
	1890.	New Haven.	F. H. Hovey, Harvard.	Q. A. Shaw, Jr., S. T. Chase,	Harvard.
	1891.	New Haven.	F. H. Hovey, Harvard.	F. H. Hovey, R. D. Wrenn,	Harvard.
	1892.	New Haven.	W. A. Larned, Cornell.	R. D. Wrenn, F. B. Winslow,	Harvard.
	1893.	New Haven.	M. G. Chace, Brown.	M. G. Chace, C. R. Budlong,	Brown.
	1894.	New Haven.	M. G. Chace, Yale.	M. G. Chace, A. E. Foote,	Yale.

1895.	New Haven.	M. G. Chace, Yale.	M. G. Chace, A. E. Foote,	Yale.
1896.	New Haven.	M. D. Whitman, Harvard.	L. E. Ware, W. M. Scudder,	Harvard.
1897.	New Haven.	S. G. Thomson, Princeton.	L. E. Ware, M. D. Whitman,	Harvard.
1898.	New Haven.	L. E. Ware, Harvard.	L. E. Ware, M. D. Whitman,	Harvard.
1899.	New Haven.	D. F. Davis, Harvard.	Holcombe Ward, D. F. Davis,	Harvard.
1900.	Philadelphia.	R. D. Little, Princeton.	F. B. Alexander, R. D. Little,	Princeton.
1901.	Philadelphia.	F. B. Alexander, Princeton.	H. A. Plummer, S. L. Russell,	Yale.
1902.	Pnladelphia.	W. J. Clothier, Harvard.	W. J. Clothier, E. W. Leonard,	Harvard.
1903.	Philadelphia.	E. B. Dewhurst, U. of Pa.	B. Colston, E. Clapp,	Yale.
1904.	Philadelphia.	Robert LeRoy, Columbia.	Behr, Bodman,	Yale.
1905.	Philadelphia.	E. B. Dewhurst, U. of Pa.	Dewhurst, Register,	U. of Pa.
1906.	Philadelphia.	Robert LeRoy, Columbia.	Spalding, Wells,	Yale.

THE NEW ENGLAND INTERCOLLEGIATE LAWN TENNIS ASSOCIATION.

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New England Intercollegiate Championship.

THE seventh annual New England Intercollegiate tennis tournament was held on the courts of the Longwood Cricket Club, Boston, Mass. Play which was to have begun on the twenty-eighth of May was delayed until the afternoon of the twenty-ninth owing to a heavy rain.

The Singles brought out some very interesting tennis especially in the Semi-Final and Final rounds, but perhaps the best tennis was displayed in the Final round. In the Final match, Smith, (Williams) met last year's champion Fanning (Technology) and defeated him-6-3, 8-6, 7-5, thereby regaining the Championship which he had held two years previous. Though Fanning did not win a set he contested stubbornly every point and it was only Smith's brilliancy coupled with his steadiness at critical moments which brought him a win in straight sets.

The Final match in Doubles was the only one of particular interest. In this match Smith and Westcott (Williams) faced Fanning and Nicholl (M. I. T.) and were defeated by the latter pair after a hard five-set struggle by the score of 3-6, 6-4, 6-4, 6-8, 7-5. The Technology team displayed the best team work but made many costly errors.

Scores:

Singles.

First Round: Nicholl (M. I. T.) beat Hanscom (Tufts), by default.
Second Round: White (Wesleyan) beat Wolf (Amherst), by default;

FLOYD R. SMITH,
New England Intercollegiate Champion.

Paine (Bowdoin)beat Burgess (Brown), 6-3, 6-2; McLane (Dartmouth) beat Pease (Vermont), 6-3, 6-3; Smith (Williams) beat Nicholl (M. I. T.), 6-4, 0-6, 6-4; Rotch (Dartmouth) beat Westcott (Williams), 6-4, 6-3, 6-2; Tobey (Bowdoin) beat Wycolf (Tufts), 6-0, 6-2; Porter (Brown) beat Gatch (Wesleyan), 6-4, 6-4; Fanning (M. I. T.) beat Sturgis (Amherst), by default.

Third Round: Paine (Bowdoin) beat White (Wesleyan), 7-5, 7-5; Smith (Williams) beat McLane (Dartmouth), 6-3, 6-4; Rotch (Dartmouth) beat Tobey (Bowdoin), 7-5, 6-0: Fanning (M. I. T.) beat Porter (Brown), 7-5, 6-1.

Semi-final Round: Smith (Williams) beat Paine (Bowdoin), 2-6, 6-3, 6-3; Fanning (M. I. T.) beat Rotch (Dartmouth), 6-4, 3-6, 7-5.

Final Round: Smith (Williams) beat Fanning (M. I. T.), 6-3, 8-6, 7-5.

Doubles.

First Round: Porter and Burgess (Brown) beat Hanscom and Wycolf (Tufts), 6-2, 7-5; Smith and Westcott (Williams) beat Wolf and Sturgiss (Amherst), by default; Paine and Tobey (Bowdoin) beat White and Gatch (Wesleyan), 6-3, 6-3; Fanning and Nicholl (M. I. T.) beat McLane and Rotch (Dartmouth), 0-6, 6-2, 6-2.

Second Round: Smith and Westcott (Williams) beat Porter and Burgess (Brown), 6-2, 6-2; Fanning and Nicholl (M. I. T.) beat Paine and Tobey (Bowdoin), 6-2, 6-4.

Final Round: Fanning and Nicholl (M. I. T.) beat Smith and Westcott (Williams), 3-6, 6-4, 6-3, 7-5.

The standing of the colleges on the eight-point cup is as follows: Williams, six; Technology, four; Brown, three and one-half; Amherst, two; Dartmouth, two; Bowdoin, one; Tufts, one; Wesleyan, one-half and Vermont, none.

WESTERN INTERCOLLEGIATE TOURNAMENT.

AS usual the first big tournament of the western tennis season came with the playing of the Intercollegiate on the new Walker-Gordon Laboratory courts of the University of Chicago beginning with May 27 and ending with the play of May 30.

It was by far the largest event of its kind held in recent years and the highest quality of collegiate tennis was shown. Five of the conference colleges together with Cornell College, Iowa, were represented and Michigan—a usually strong contender—would have been had not financial difficulties interfered. The chief interest in the event centered in the work of Walter T. Hayes, of Cornell College who captured the event. He was hard pressed, however, by Richards L. Loesch of Wisconsin, whose defeat of Cyrus Garnett, the title holder, was the one big surprise of the tournament. On the day Loesch met Hayes in the Finals it was keenly regretted by the gallery present that the Wisconsin representative had been tired out by a strenuous program of matches which had left him in a seemingly "stale" condition, while Hayes, on the other hand, had been fortunate in the arrangement of his matches and was comparatively fresh. Nevertheless an interesting match followed in which the aggressiveness of Loesch often won for him through its daring alone. Hayes' wonderful ability to cover a clay court and his remarkable reach at the net finally pulled the match out for him after four unusually hard fought sets.

This was the first year that Cornell College had been represented in a western athletic meet and its victory was warmly received. The fight this year between Hayes, who will again compete, Loesch, who plays for the last time and Heath Byford, who for the first time will be eligible to represent Chicago is looked forward to with keen interest as they all appear to be closely matched on clay courts.

Scores:

Singles.

First Round: W. A. Rehm (Wis.) beat H. M. Payne (Minn.), 6-3, 6-3; W. T. Hayes (Cornell) beat St. John (Mich.), by default; F. H. Friend (U. of Ill.) beat Nye (N-W.), 6-2, 6-1; Paul Gray (Chicago)

beat Hutchinson (Ia.), 6-3, 6-3; Cy Garnett (Chicago) beat H. I. James (Ill.), 6-0, 7-5; R. L. Loesch (Wis.) beat McQuilkin (Cornell), 6-1, 6-4; Coggswell (Iowa) beat Bronson (N-W.), 6-3, 6-3; Thompson (Minn.) beat Stuart (Mich.), by default.

Second Round: Hayes (Cornell) beat Rehm (Wis.), 6-3, 3-6, 6-0; Gray (Chicago) beat Friend (Ill.), 4-6, 6-0, 6-2; Loesch (Wis.) beat Garnett (Chicago), 6-2, 5-7, 7-5; Coggswell (Iowa) beat Thompson (Minn.), 8-6, 6-1.

Semi-final Round: Hayes, (Iowa) beat Gray (Chicago), 6-4, 6-3; Loesch (Wisconsin) beat Coggswell (Iowa), 6-4, 6-3.

Final Round: W. T. Hayes (Cornell) beat R. L. Loesch (Wisconsin), 6-0, 2-6, 7-5, 6-4.

Doubles.

First Round: Garnett and Gray (Chicago) beat Coggswell and Hutchinson (Iowa), 6-2, 6-1, 6-0; Bronson and Nye (Northwestern) beat Stuart and St. John (Michigan), by default; McQuilkin and Hayes (Cornell) beat Payne and Thompson (Minn.), 6-1, 6-4, 8-10, 6-4; Loesch and Rehm (Wisconsin) beat James and Friend (Ill.), 6-2, 3-6, 6-1, 5-7, 6-2.

Semi-final Round: Garnett and Gray (Chicago) beat Bronson and Nye (Northwestern), 6-3, 6-2, 7-5; Hayes and McQuilkin (Cornell) beat Loesch and Rehm (Wis.), 6-3, 6-2, 6-4.

Final Round: Garnett and Gray (Chicago) beat McQuilkin and Hayes (Cornell), 6-3, 6-2, 7-5.

INTERSCHOLASTIC TOURNAMENTS.

NO scores of the different Interscholastic tournaments being sent the Guide is the cause of their not appearing. The winners of the different events are:

Harvard	H. A. Davenport.
Yale	Cook
Princeton	Harrison
Columbia	Donnell
Univeristy of Pa.	Simmons
Bowdoin	Sweetzer
Chicago	J. A. Ross

The National Interscholastic Championship.

The sixteenth annual tournament for the National Interscholastic Championship took place at Newport during the week of the National Championship. There were five colleges represented, Harvard, Davenport; U. of Pa., Simmons; Bowdoin, Sweetzer; Princeton, Harrison; Chicago, Ross. This was the first time of a western Interscholastic player being present at Newport and their representative J. A. Ross proved to be the winner of the tournament and the title of National Interscholastic Champion. He is a steady and most promising player his net work and general covering of the court was of the best, and in the Finals after a well-played five-set match with H. L. Davenport of Harvard as an opponent won by the score of 2-6, 10-8, 1-6, 7-5, 6-1.

J. ALLEN ROSS,
National Interscholastic Champion.

THE INTERSCHOLASTIC TOURNAMENTS

YEAR	PLAYED AT	CHAMPION	COLLEGE
1891.	Cambridge.	R. D. Wrenn.	Cambridge Latin.
1892.	Cambridge.	M. G. Chace.	University Grammar, Providence, R. I.
1893.	Newport.	C. R. Budlong.	High, Providence, R. I.
1894.	Newport.	W. C. Parker.	Tutor, New York.
1895.	Newport.	L. E. Ware.	Roxbury Latin, Boston.
1896.	Newport.	Rex Fincke.	Hotchkiss, Lakeville, Ct.
1897.	Newport.	Rex Fincke.	Hotchkiss, Lakeville, Ct.
1898.	Newport.	B. C. Wright.	Hopkinson School, Boston.
1899.	Newport.	B. C. Wright.	Hopkinson School, Boston.
1900.	Newport.	I. C. Wright.	Hopkinson School, Boston.
1901.	Newport.	E. P. Larned.	Lawrenceville School.
1902.	Newport.	H. H. Whitman.	Volkmann School, Boston.
1903.	Newport.	K. H. Behr.	Lawrenceville School.
1904.	Newport.	N. W. Niles.	Boston Latin.
1905.	Newport.	N. W. Niles.	Volkmann School.
1906.	Newport.	J. A. Ross.	Hyde Park High, Chicago, Ill.

BOSTON SUBURBAN LEAGUE.

THE following is the standing of clubs which played in the Boston Suburban Lawn Tennis League:

	Matches won	Matches lost
Brae-Burn Country Club	16	4
Newton Centre	16	4
Boston Athletic Asso.	15	5
Allston Golf	3	13
Hunnewell Lawn Tennis Club	2	14
Wellesley Lawn Tennis Club	0	12

MYSTIC VALLEY TENNIS ASSOCIATION TOURNAMENT.

THE third annual tournament for the individual championships of the Mystic Valley Tennis Association, Massachusetts, was held on the courts of the Oakley Country Club at Watertown, Mass., July 7 to 14, 1906. The entries were as usual open only to the members of the Oakley, Dedham, Milton, Belmont, Winchester, and Lexington Clubs composing the Association. Oakley had previously won the Team Championship. This tournament as usual brought together a large number of the players of ability in the Boston district and some very keen matches were the result—the best in the Doubles being the Jackson and Read-Chase and Keyes contest in the third round; the Final won by Butters and Nowell over Jackson and Read. In the Singles J. H. Chase, who later won the Connecticut Championship and the York Harbor tournament, won as he was expected to do. There were, however, numerous upsets. Nowell of Winchester, last year's winner, was put out in his first match by Keyes. O'Brion of Belmont also succumbed unexpectedly and J. B. Read of Oakley was defeated by J. R. Post of Milton, the "dark horse" of the tournament. The Belmont Tennis Club won the trophy offered for the greatest number of matches won.

Scores:

Singles.

Final Round: J. H. Chase beat J. R. Post, 6-0, 6-0, 6-3.

Doubles.

Final Round: C. C. Butters and J. Nowell beat A. W. Jackson and J. R. Read, 1-6, 6-1, 6-3, 6-4.

METROPOLITAN LAWN TENNIS LEAGUE.

THE third year of the Metropolitan Lawn Tennis League found two new members, the Brooklyn Tennis Club and the Staten Island Cricket and Tennis Club. This necessitated a division into two sections of the clubs, and the members of each section played home and home matches. The Montclair Athletic Club of Montclair, N. J., and the West Side Tennis Club of New York were easy winners in their respective sections, the former club losing but three matches and the latter but two. On the play off the West Side vanquished the Montclair boys winning the Club Championship for 1906 of the Metropolitan District which has been held the two previous years in the Kings County Club of Brooklyn.

The following is the result:

First Section.

Montclair Athletic Club (Montclair)	Won	9,	Lost	3
New York Lawn Tennis Club (New York)	"	8	"	4
Crescent Athletic Club (Brooklyn)	"	6	"	6
Kings County Tennis Club (Brooklyn)	"	4	"	8
Knickerbocker Field Club (Brooklyn)	"	3	"	9

Second Section.

West Side Tennis Club (New York)	Won	13,	Lost	2
Hamilton Grange T. C. (New York)	"	12	"	3
Englewood Field Club (Englewood)	"	7	"	8
Staten Island Tennis Club (Staten Island)	"	7	"	8
Brooklyn Tennis Club (Brooklyn)	"	6	"	9
New York Athletic Club (New York)	"	0	"	15

Finals.

West Side Tennis Club defeated Montclair five matches to one.

PHILADELPHIA INTER-CLUB RECORDS.

THE Merion Cricket Club's lawn tennis team won the local inter-club championship after a close struggle. The final result of the race, one of the closest in years, was in doubt to the last, Merion finishing but one point ahead of their nearest competitor, Germantown. Belmont was third, Philadelphia fourth, and Huntingdon Valley last. Merion, with an array of players, including W. J. Clothier, J. Kent Willing, Carroll M. Bunting, R. J. Crozier, M. B. Colket, H. B. Register, W. F. Johnson and H. C. Townsend, Jr., had a formidable aggregation which would have won more decisively had it been possible to get the best team out for every contest. The club record for the season follows:

	Meri.	Gtn.	Bel.	Phila.	H.Val.	Won
Merion		4-2	3-3	3-5	5-4	29
Germantown	1-3	...	4-3	5-3	4-5	28
Belmont	2-2	1-2	...	3-3	5-5	23
Philadelphia	2-0	0-2	2-2	...	5-4	17
Huntingdon Valley	0-1	1-0	0-0	0-1	...	3
Lost	11	12	17	23	37	100

	Won.	Lost	P. C.
Merion	29	11	.725
Germantown	29	12	.700
Belmont	23	17	.575
Philadelphia	17	23	.425
Huntingdon Valley	3	37	.075

TENNIS MATCHES PLAYED BY SYRACUSE (N. Y.) TENNIS TEAM DURING 1906.

Syracuse defeated Cornell at Syracuse. 6 games to 0.

Singles.

A. D. Jenney (Syracuse) beat Morris Lee (Cornwall). 6-2, 3-6, 7-5. J. A. Randall (Syracuse) beat Chase (Cornell), 6-4, 6-1; R. S. Burlingame (Syracuse) beat White (Cornell), 7-5, 2-6, 10-8; Roger Jones (Syracuse) beat C. G. Burlingame (Cornell), 6-3, 3-6, 6-2.

Doubles.

Jenney and Randall (Syracuse) beat White and Lee (Cornell), 6-4, 2-6, 6-2; Jones and Magee (Syracuse) beat C. G. Burlingame and Chase (Cornell), 6-1, 6-3.

Syracuse beat Cazenovia at Syracuse, 4-2.

Singles.

Randall (Syracuse) beat Norton (Cazenovia), 6-3, 6 1; Byrd (Cazenovia) beat Matthews (Syracuse), 9-7, 6-2; Robertson (Syracuse) beat Morehead (Cazenovia), 8-6, 6-2; Burlingame (Cazenovia) beat Jones (Syracuse), 6-3, 7-5.

Doubles

Jones and Magee (Syracuse) beat Morehead and Burlingame (Cazenovia), 6-3, 11-9: Randall and Robertson (Syracuse) beat Norton and Byrd (Cazenovia), 6-4, 6-4.

Inter-City Championship With Rochester.

Rochester defeated Syracuse at Rochester, 5-4.

Singles.

F. C. Goodwin (Rochester) beat J. A. Randall (Syracuse), 3-6, 6-2, 6-1; A. D. Jenney (Syracuse) beat F. K. Ward (Rochester), 6-3, 1-6,

6-4: Thomas Webster (Rochester) beat E. C. Britcher (Syracuse), 6-1, 6-4; C. G. Alexander (Rochester) beat John Coulter (Syracuse), 2-6, 6-3, 6-2; Roger Jones (Syracuse) beat Charles W. Smith (Rochester), 6-3, 3-6, 6-4; Fred. Will, Jr., (Rochester) beat R. Burlingame (Syracuse), 2-6, 6-2, 6-0.

Doubles.

Ward and Goodwin (Rochester) beat Jenney and Randall (Syracuse), 6-1, 6-2; Jones and Britcher (Syracuse) beat Webster and Smith (Rochester), 6-0, 6-3; Coulter and Burlingame (Syracuse) beat Will and Alexander (Rochester), 6-4, 6-4.

Syracuse and Rochester played a tie match at Syracuse. The deciding match unfinished with Jenney one game ahead.

Singles.

Roger Jones (Syracuse) beat C. G. Alexander (Rochester), 6-1, 7-5; W. W. Magee (Syracuse) lost to F. Will (Rochester), 2-6, 6-4, 6-3; J. A. Randall (Syracuse) won from F. C. Goodwin (Rochester), 6-1, 1-6, 6-3; E. C. Britcher (Syracuse) was defeated by Edgar B. Cook (Rochester), 6-2, 3-6, 6-4; E. L. Robertson lost to C. B. Chapin, 6-1, 9-7; A. D. Jenney (Syracuse) and H. H. Stebbins (Rochester) Jenney won first set by 6-2 and lost second set by 3-6.

The third game stood at 3-2 in Jenney's favor on third set.

Doubles.

Jenney and Randall (Syracuse) beat Goodwin and Cook (Rochester), 6-3, 6-3; Magee and Jones (Syracuse) beat Chapin and Stebbins (Rochester), 6-3, 6-3; Britcher and Mathews (Syracuse) lost to Will and Alexander (Rochester), 2-6, 6-3, 7-5.

City Championship Tennis Tournament 1906.

Men's Singles.

A. D. Jenney, holder, beat E. L. Robertson, 6-4, 1-6, 6-3, 6-2.

Men's Doubles.

Jenney and Randall, holders (for six years), beat Magee and Jones. 2-6, 6-3, 4-6, 7-5, 6-4.

Mixed Doubles.

Miss Comstock and Mr. Robertson beat Miss Brown and Dr. Mathews, 6-1, 5-7, 6-4.

Ladies' Singles.

Miss Brown beat Mrs. Cooper, 5-7, 7-5, 6-4.

STATE TOURNAMENTS.

NEW YORK

FOR the first time in the history of the club, the New York State Championship of both Singles and Doubles was held on the turf courts of the Staten Island Cricket and Tennis Club, at Livingston, L. I., during the week beginning July 2. In addition to first, runners up, and Consolation prizes, a handsome silver punch bowl was offered by the club as a Championship Trophy, to be won three times, not necessarily consecutive, for absolute possession. The tournament of nearly 50 entries, brought out our best players, resulting in tennis of the first order. The Singles were won by Mr. H. H. Hackett after consistently good play throughout the tournament. A notable match of the tournament was that of the Semi-Finals in Singles lasting between two and three hours, which Mr. Hackett won from Mr. Karl Behr, after an exceedingly close and spirited contest in which Mr. Behr's smashing at the net, was a strong feature. The match was won only by the characteristically steady, consistent play of Mr. Hackett which he had evinced throughout the tournament.

Notable features of the event were the matches won by Mr. C. A. Blyth, Jr., member of the home club, from Mr. F. G. Anderson and Mr. Wylie C. Grant. Mr. Blyth was then beaten in the Semi-Finals two out of three sets, by Mr. F. C. Colston. The old-time player Mr. Malcolm Chace demonstrated that he had not lost his skill by defeating Mr. C. F. Watson, Jr. Mr. Chace defaulted later in the tournament. It was a subject for regret, the defaulting after their first match, of Messrs Hackett and Alexander in the Doubles. This event was won by Messrs Theo. R. Pell and Hugh Tallant, a well-earned and popular victory.

Singles.

First Round: Bull beat Downey, 6-1, 7-9, 6-3; Torrance beat Belknap, 6-3, 6-3; Philler beat Beckley, by default; Foote beat Westfall, 6-2, 6-1; Davis beat Fox, 6-1, 6-3; Hoxie beat Dix, 6-3, 2-6, 6-3; Chase beat Bassford ,by default; Watson beat Kelley, 5-7, 11-9, 6-2; Anderson beat Hawk, 6-1, 6-1; Tallant beat Ames, by default; Boyd beat Town send, 6-3, 6-0; Johnson beat Connell, 6-1, 6-0; Blyth beat Lindley, 6-0 6-0.

Second Round: Hitchcock beat McMahon, by default; Jones beat L. J. Grant, 6-0, 6-4; Wadsworth beat Mollenhauer, 6-0, 7-5; Behr beat Pell, 6-3, 9-7; Hackett beat Bull, 6-2, 6-2; Torrance beat by default; Foote beat Philler, 6-3, 6-1; Hoxie beat Davis, 6-4, 9-7; Chase beat Watson, 6-3, 6-2; Anderson beat Tallant, 6-8, 6-4, 6-2; Boyd beat Johnson, 3-6, 6-4, 6-4; Blyth beat W. C. Grant, 6-4, 6-4; Register beat Smith, 11-9, 6-0; Fitch beat Williams, 6-8, 6-2, 6-4; Colston beat Pell, 7-5, 6-3; Sullway beat Hincks, by default.

Third Round: Jones beat Hitchcock, 6-1, 6-0; Behr beat Wadsworth, 5-7, 6-2, 6-3; Hackett beat Torrance, 6-3, 6-4; Foote beat Hoxie ,6-0, 6-1; Anderson beat Chase, 2-6, 6-1, by default; Blyth beat Boyd, 6-1, 6-1; Register beat Fitch, 9-7, 6-1; Colston beat Sullway, 6-2, 6-2.

Fourth Round: Behr beat Jones, 6-2, 4-6, 6-3; Hackett beat Foote, 6-2 ,6-4; Blyth beat Anderson, 6-4, 2-6, 6-3; Colston beat Register, 8-6, 6-1.

Semi-final Round: Hackett beat Behr, 6-3, 3-6, 10-8; Colston beat Blyth, 6-4, 6-8, 6-0.

Final Round: Hackett beat Colston, 7-5, 7-5, 6-1.

Doubles.

First Round: Hincks and Hincks beat Hawk and Register, by default; Behr and Sulloway beat Connell and Rosenbaum, 6-1, 6-3; Foote and Ware beat Bull and Campbell, 6-3, 6-3; T. R. Pell and Torrance beat Plummer and Prentice, 6-4, 6-1; Philler and Downey beat Beckley and partner, by default; Hackett and Alexander beat Colston and Wadsworth, 6-3, 7-5.

Second Round: Grant and Tallant beat Boyd and Chase, by default; Watson and Miles beat Blyth and Lindley, 6-4, 6-0; Anderson and Kelley beat Hincks and Hincks, 6-2, 3-6, 6-3; Behr and Sulloway beat Foote and Ware, 6-4, 4-6, 7-5; Pell and Torrance beat Philler

and Downey, 6-4, 6-4; Hackett and Alexander beat Jones and Mollenhauer, by default; J. D. Pell and Hitchcock beat L. Grant and Bassford, 6-0, 6-1; Fitch and Miller beat Smith and Glazebrook, 6-3, 6-4.

Third Round: Watson and Miles beat Grant and Tallant, 9-7, 6-3; Anderson and Kelley beat Behr and Sulloway, 1-6, 6-1, 7-5; Pell and Torrance beat Hackett and Alexander, by default; J. D. Pell and Hitchcock beat Fitch and Miller, 6-3, 6-4.

Semi-final Round: Anderson and Kelley beat Watson and Miles, 8-6, 6-2; T. R. Pell and Torrance beat J. D. Pell and Hitchcock, 6-1, 7-5.

Final Round: Pell and Torrance beat Anderson and Kelley, 6-4, 6-2, 7-5.

Consolation.

Final Round: Tallant beat Mollenhauer, 6-2, 6-3.

PENNSYLVANIA.

The 1906 tennis season at the Merion Cricket Club, Haverford, Pennsylvania, opened with an Invitation Tennis Tournament given to the members of the American International Tennis Team, Messrs Beals C. Wright, Raymond D. Little, Holcombe Ward, and Kreigh Collins taking part in the tournament, together with Messrs William J. Clothier, F. G. Anderson, E. B. Dewhurst and local players. While no special record of matches was made, Mr. Wright carried off the honors of the tournament.

The Women's Pennsylvania Tournament, was held June 4 and following days, there being no less than twenty-seven entries in the Singles, including beside a numerous delegation from the local clubs, representatives from the Longwood Cricket Club, the Newport Tennis Club and others.

The tournament was marked by many closely contested matches, the tournament being won by Miss Evelyn Sears, of the Longwood Club, Boston, who also won the Championship, through the default of Miss Elizabeth Moore, the holder of 1905.

The Championship in Doubles was won by Miss Evelyn Sears and Miss E. R. Sears, and the Championship in Mixed Doubles by Miss E. R. Sears and William J. Clothier.

The State Championship.

The State Championship for men was held June 11 and following days with an entry list of forty-one players in the Singles, which is the record list for this tournament, in fact, for any general tournament held in Philadelphia. The entries included representatives from the University of Pennsylvania, Princeton, the local clubs and out of town clubs.

The Final match in Singles in the tournament was between William J. Clothier and J. R. Carpenter, Jr., Mr. Clothier winning easily in three straight sets. He also won the Championship, defeating E. B. Dewhurst, the holder of 1905, in three easy sets, and giving spectators a display of tennis, which was conceded to be equal to anything heretofore seen near Philadelphia, and sure, if continued, to make him the Champion of the United States for the current year, which prediction was fulfilled as Mr. Clothier won the Championship at the Newport tournament held later.

The first place in Doubles was won by Rendall and Marsh of Princeton, though they were beaten for the Championship by E. B. Dewhurst and J. R. Carpenter, Jr., the holders of 1905, in three straight sets.

Scores:

Singles.

Preliminary Round: J. K. Willing beat P. B. Hawk, 4-6, 8-6, 6-3; H. B. Register beat J. H. Fassitt, 6-4, 6-2; F. L. Wood beat Stockton Townsend, 9-7, 8-6; A. L. Hoskins beat C.M. Bunting, by default; Wm. Jordan beat R. Evans, Jr., 6-2, 6-1; F. M. Justice beat W. D. Stroud, 6-2, 6-4; H. J. Rendall beat Bayard Knerr, 6-1, 6-1; W. H. Trotter beat R. M. Sikes, 6-1, 6-1; W. F. Johnson beat C. C. Willits, 6-4, 4-6, 6-1.

First Round: R. J. Crozier beat J. T. Wilcox, 6-3, 6-2; H. H. Sayres beat W. H. Pratt, 6-1, 4-6, 6-3; R. L. James beat N. S. Johnston, 6-1, 6-1; C. B. Doyle beat Fisher Baily, 6-0, 6-0; J. R. Carpenter, Jr., beat Herbert Tilden, 10-8, 4-6, 6-2; J. K. Willing beat M. Gibbons, 6-1, 6-1; H. B. Register beat F. L. Wood, 7-5, 6-1; A. L. Hoskins beat Wm. Jordan, 6-3, 6-0; H. I. Rendall beat F. M. Justice, 6-0, 6-0; W. H. Trotter beat W. F. Johnson, 7-9, 6-4, 6-3; W. M. Tilden beat J. M.

Wistar, 6-4, 6-0; Ewing Stille beat P. L. Weimer, 6-1, 6-1; W. J. Clothier beat S. Scoville, Jr., 6-0, 6-2; H. Simmons beat R. Morrison, 6-1, 6-2; H. C. Townsend, Jr., beat F. S. Havey, 6-4, 6-0; M. B. Colket beat H. Y. Lake, 6-3, 6-3.

Second Round: R. J. Crozier beat H. H. Sayres, 3-6, 6-0, 10-8; C. B. Doyle beat R. L. James, 6-2, 6-4; J. R. Carpenter, Jr., beat J. K. Willing, 6-2, 4-6, 6-3; A. L. Hoskins beat H. B. Register, 6-1, 6-1; W. H. Trotter beat H. J. Rendall, 9-7, 6-3; W. M. Tilden beat Ewing Stille, 6-0, 6-2; W. J. Clothier beat H. Simmons, 6-4, 6-1; H. C. Townsend, Jr., beat M. B. Colket, 6-4, 8-6.

Third Round: C. B. Doyle beat R. J. Crozier, 6-3, 6-4; J. R. Carpenter, Jr., beat A. L. Hoskins, 6-4, 6-2; W. M. Tilden beat W. H. Trotter, 6-0, 6-4; W. J. Clothier beat H. C. Townsend, Jr., 6-2, 6-1.

Semi-final Round: J. R. Carpenter, Jr., beat C. B. Doyle, 6-4, 4-6, 6-2; W. J. Clothier beat W. M. Tilden, 6-2, 6-2.

Final Round: W. J. Clothier beat J. R. Carpenter, Jr., 6-1, 8-6, 6-3.

Challenge Round: W. J. Clothier beat E. B. Dewhurst, 6-3, 6-2, 6-4.

Doubles.

Preliminary Round: H. J. Rendall and H. L. Marsh beat F. M. Justice and Ellwood Jones, 6-0, 6-0; C. M. Bunting and R. J. Crozier beat W. Irving Trotter and W. C. Cowin, 6-1, 6-1.

First Round: J. K. Willing and Edgar Scott beat P. B. Hawk and H. Simmons, 6-2, 6-2; C. B. Doyle and H. E. Doyle beat Herbert Tilden and Wm. Jordan, 6-3, 6-3; F. H. Bates and L. Biddle beat R. M. Philler and J. O. Downey, 6-2, 6-4; H. J. Rendall and H. L. Marsh beat W. B. Gibbs and F. H. Gibbs, 6-1, 6-3; Crozier and Bunting beat H. C. Thayer and W. M. Tilden, 6-1, 7-5; W. F. Johnson and H. B. Register beat J. H. Fassitt and J. T. Wilcox, 11-13, 6-3, 8-6; W. H. Rowland and Bradford Fraley beat Bayard Knerr and W. H. Pratt, 6-1, 6-2; W. J. Clothier and Craig Biddle beat R. Morrison and R. M. Sikes, 6-2, 6-1.

Second Round: Doyle and Doyle beat Willing and Scott, 6-3, 6-4; Rendall and Marsh beat F. H. Bates and L. Biddle, 6-3, 6-4; Crozier and Bunting beat W. F. Johnson and H. B. Register, 6-4, 6-3; W. J. Clothier and Craig Biddle beat W. H. Rowland and Bradford Fraley, 6-2, 6-3.

Semi-final Round: Rendall and Marsh beat Doyle and Doyle, 6-2, 6-1; Clothier and Biddle beat Crozier and Bunting, 8-6, 10-8, 4-6.

Final Round: Rendall and Marsh beat Clothier and Biddle, 6-1, 6-4, 6-3.

Challenge Round: Carpenter and Dewhurst Champions 1905 beat Rendall and Marsh, 6-3, 8-6, 6-1.

Consolation Doubles.

Final Round: Philler and Downey.

Intercollegiate Tournament.

The Intercollegiate Tournament was held October 1 and following days, and was won by Robert LeRoy of Columbia University, and the Doubles by Messrs Wells and Spalding of Yale.

The Merion Cricket Club's record for tennis honors during the year, was phenomenal. The Merion Club Team won the men's inter-club tennis cup, the women's team also winning the women's inter-club tennis cup.

Our representative, William J. Clothier, won the championship of the United States, in Singles, also winning the championship of Pennsylvania in Singles.

Wallace F. Johnson won the championship of Philadelphia in Singles, and the Philadelphia Doubles Championship also went to the Merion Club. Miss Phyllis Green won the Philadelphia district tournament in Singles, and a number of the Merion players were also runners-up in the various tournaments, so that there was little more left for Merion to do in getting tennis honors.

The championship of the club in Men's Singles was won by J. Kent Willing, and the Women's championship by Miss Phyllis Green.

The ladies' tennis committee for the current year consists of Mrs. Howard W. Lewis, chairman, Mrs. Rodman E. Griscom, vice-chairman, Mrs. Henry P. Baily, secretary, Miss Alida Baird, Miss Clara T. Chase, Miss Marion Sharwood, Mrs. Alden Sampson, Miss Dorothy Crawford and Miss Ellen P. Williams.

The tennis committee of the club consists of Howard W. Lewis, chairman, John B. Thayer, Rodman E. Griscom, James M. Rhodes, Jr., Horace H. Sayres, Henry P. Baily, H. Bartol Register, Malcolm Huey and R. J. Crozier.

MASSACHUSETTS.

The Massachusetts State Championship was held as usual upon the courts of the Longwood Cricket Club, Boston, on June 14 and following days. The entry list of 64 broke all previous records, and included all the best players in and about Boston, with the exception of Beals Wright, who was abroad with the International team.

The most prominent players entered were F. J. Sulloway, Irving C. Wright, Edgar Leonard, N. W. Niles, and Richard Bishop. Sulloway's playing throughout the tournament was a feature ending with the defeat of I. C. Wright in the Final round. In the Challenge match he did not show his earlier good form, and was defeated by R. C. Seaver the holder, 6-1, 6-4, 6-4, who captured his second leg on the State cup.

Singles.

First Round: E. W. Leonard beat R. Bishop, 6-4, 7-5; E. R. Speare beat W. A. Bradford, 6-3, 4-6, 6-3; A. W. Blakemore beat R. M. McComus, 6-4, 6-1: F. L. DeRham beat L. T. Wallis, 6-3, 6-1; R. W. Cones beat H. T. Clark, 6-1, 6-4; E. H. Fay beat C. W. Bates, 6-2, 6-2; W. L. O'Brion beat P. Grand, 2nd, 6-1, 4-6, 6-2; A. W. Merriam beat P. W. Chandler, 6-4, 6-4; F. J. Sulloway beat F. L. Sweetzer, 6-2, 6-2; J. F. Fairbanks beat W. A. Colwell, 6-2, 6-2; H. C. Johnson beat D. Niles, 6-4, 7-5; Wm. Rotch beat C. R. Stevenson, 6-0, 6-1; W. E. Putnam, Jr., beat H. R. Scott, 7-5, 6-1; W. T. Graves beat A. W. Barnard, 6-3, 7-5; J. L. Reed beat E. A. Mead, 6-1, 6-1; H. L. Davenport beat P. L. Schuyler, 6-1, 6-1; C. G. Plympton beat S. M. Pierce, 6-3, 6-3; C. F. Johnson beat J. R. Litchfield, 6-1, 6-2; A. S. Pier beat J. S. Nichol, 6-4, 6-0; F. J. Goodridge beat R. L. Black, 6-2, 6-1; N. W. Niles beat A. Kendall, 6-0, 6-0; I. C. Wright beat A. M. Hillman, 6-2, 6-1; E. B. Page beat R. L. Chipman, 2-6, 6-3, 6-4; N. W. Cabot beat F. B. Taylor, 6-2, 5-7, 6-0; W. S. Fitz beat G. W. Pratt, 6-3, 8-6; A. Fox beat N. L. Miller, 6-2, 2-6, 6-3; H. Miller beat J. Dwight, 6-2, 6-0; C. E. Barker beat F. Shaw, Jr., 6-1, 6-3; A. S. Dabney, Jr., beat T. Roberts, 6-1, 6-4; H. H. Whitman beat S. F. Wise, 6-2, 6-2; W. B. Coffin beat F. E. Barnard, 6-2, 6-2; R. L. Lovering beat T. B. Plympton, by default; J. B. Reed beat H. L. Davenport, 4-6, 7-5, 6-2;

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Massachusetts State Champion.

C. F. Johnson beat C. G. Plympton, 3-6, 6-2, 6-4; A. S. Pier beat F. J. Goodridge, 6-1, 6-1; H. Miller beat C. E. Barker, 6-3, 6-2; H. H. Whitman beat A. S. Dabney, Jr., 6-2, 2-6, 7-5; W. B. Coffin beat P. E. Barnard, 6-2, 6-2; R. S. Lovering beat T. B. Plympton, by default.

Second Round: E. W. Leonard beat E. R. Speare, 7-5, 6-1; I. C. Wright beat N. W. Niles, 2-6, 6-3, 4-3, d. f; W. B. Coffin beat E. V. Page, 6-2, 6-2; W. S. Fitz beat N. W. Cabot, 6-2, 7-5; R. L. Lovering beat A. Fox, 6-0, 3-6, 6-3; F. L. DeRham beat A. W. Blakemore, 3-6, 6-3, 6-2; E. H. Fay beat R. W. Cones, 7-5, 6-2; W. L. O'Brion beat A. W. Merriam, 6-2, 6-3; F. J. Sulloway beat J. F. Fairbanks, 6-0, 6-2; H. C. Johnson beat C. M. Rotch, 7-5, 10-8; W. E. Putnam. Jr., beat W. T. Graves, 8-6, 6-1; J. B. Reed beat H. L. Davenport, 4-6, 7-5, 6-2; C. F. Johnson beat C. G. Plympton, 3-6, 6-2, 6-4; A. S. Pier beat F. G. Goodridge, 6-1, 6-1; H. Miller beat C. E. Barker, 6-3, 6-2; H. H. Whitman beat A. L. Dabney, Jr., 6-2, 2-6, 7-5.

Third Round: E. W. Leonard beat F. L. DeRham, 6-4, 6-4; W. L. O'Brion beat E. H. Fay, 6-8, 10-8, 6-2; F. J. Sulloway beat H. C. Johnson, 7-9, 6-3, 6-1; J. B. Reed beat W. E. Putnam, Jr., 6-3, 6-4; C. F. Johnson beat A. S. Pier, by default; I. C. Wright beat W. B. Coffin, 6-3, 6-4; W. S. Fitz beat R. S. Lovering, 7-5, 6-1; H. H. Whitman beat H. Miller, 6-3, 6-1.

Fourth Round: E. W. Leonard beat W. L. O'Brion, 6-1, 6-1; I. C. Wright beat C. F. Johnson, 6-0, 4-6 6-1; F. J. Sulloway beat J. B. Reed, 6-1, 6-0; H. H. Whitman beat W. S. Fitz, 6-3, 3-6, 6-3.

Semi-final Round: F. J. Sulloway beat E. W. Leonard, 4-6, 6-2, 7-5; I. C. Wright beat H. H. Whitman, 6-3, 6-2.

Final Round: F. J. Sulloway beat I. C. Wright, 9-7, 6-1.

Challenge Round: R. C. Seaver beat F. J. Sulloway, 6-4, 6-4, 6-1.

RHODE ISLAND.

The annual tennis tournament for the Championship of Rhode Island open only to bona fide residents of the state. was held this year on the courts of the Agawam Hunt, in East Providence, beginning on Saturday, Sept. 1. Thirty-five players entered, a larger number than for many years, in competition for the present cup, offered originally by the Y. M. C. A. Tennis Club of Bristol.

The tournament was favored throughout by perfect weather and was run off without interruption. It was distinguished by the excellent playing of Russell N. Dana, who lost only one set in his five matches, and who in the Challenge round succeeded in wresting the Championship title from J. D. E. Jones in straight sets, thus adding his name on the cup to those of Champions C. R. Budlong and J. D. E. Jones, each of whom has won it once.

The Doubles tournament was won by Gross and Dana. They lost in the Challenge round to Jones and Wilcox, who retain the Championship.

Stanley Henshaw won the Consolations, defeating Mackinney in straight sets.

Scores:

Singles.

First Round: Henshaw beat B. D. DeWolf, Jr., by default: F. R. Budlong beat DeWolf, by default; F. W. Jones beat Page, by default.

Second Round: Barrows beat Guild, 7-5, 6-0; Bates beat Richardson, by default; Dana beat Ingraham, 6-3, 3-6, 6-0; Phetteplace beat Barrows, by default; Ames beat Torrance, 6-0, 6-0; Howland beat Sturges, 6-2, 6-3; Howe beat Dimond, by default; Budlong beat Henshaw, 6-4, 7-5; Jones beat Tucker, by default; Gross beat McAuslan, 6-2, 6-0; W. W. White, Jr., beat Mackinney, 10-8, 6-4; Bridgham beat Stiness, 6-3, 6-1; Potter beat Greene, 7-5, 6-3; Wilcox beat Merriam, by default; Martin beat Bullock, 7-5, 3-6, 6-0; Cooke beat Day, 6-2, 3-6, 6-4.

Third Round: Barrows beat Bates, by default; Dana beat Phetteplace, 6-1, 6-0; Ames beat Howland, 6-3, 6-2; Budlong beat Howe, 6-1, 6-3; Gross beat Jones, 6-1, 6-1; Bridgham beat White, 8-6, 3-6, 7-5; Wilcox beat Potter, 10-8, 6-1; Cooke beat Martin, 6-0, 6-1.

Fourth Round: Dana beat Barrows, 6-0, 6-3; Ames beat Budlong, 6-0, 6-0; Gross beat Bridgham, 6-3, 8-6; Cooke beat Wilcox, 1-6, 6-1, 7-5.

Semi-final Round: Dana beat Ames, 6-1, 6-4; Gross beat Cooke, 6-3, 8-6.

Final Round: Dana beat Gross, 9-7, 6-3, 13-11.

Challenge Round: R. N. Dana beat J. D. E. Jones, 6-3, 6-3, 6-4.

RUSSELL N. DANA,
Rhode Island State Champion.

Doubles.

First Round: Mackinney and Budlong beat Fowler and Greene, by default; Gross and Dana beat Barrows and Ames, 6-3, 6-4.

Second Round: Henshaw and White beat Ingraham and Casseboom, 9-7, 8-6; Mackinney and Budlong beat Howland and Watson, 6-2, 6-4; Gross and Dana beat Potter and Styles, 6-3, 6-1; Bridgham and Phetteplace beat Stiness and Hale, by default.

Semi-final Round: Henshaw and White beat Mackinney and Budlong, 10-8, 8-6; Gross and Dana beat Bridgham and Phetteplace, 6-1, 6-3.

Final Round: Gross and Dana beat Henshaw and White, 6-3, 6-2, 6-0.

Challenge Round: Jones and Wilcox beat Gross and Dana, 6-1, 6-2, 4-6, 6-3.

CONNECTICUT.

The Connecticut state tournament was held on the courts of the Litchfield Club, July 17. The tournament was a successful one in spite of the fact that Richard Doughty of New Yorb, the title holder, was unable to be present. Another absentee was Francis W. Cole, of Hartford, Conn., who for two years has held the "President's Cup," which is run off in connection with the Championship.

Mr. John H. Chase, of Saybrook, Connecticut, won both cups this year, beating L. H. Fitch of New York in the Finals in straight sets. John H. Chase and Sidney P. Henshaw of Harvard won the Championship Doubles by defeating Edward W. Seymour and Robert Deming, both of Litchfield. Edward W. Seymour won the Consolation cup beating H. Putnam of Washington in a hotly contested match. Mr. Chase also won the "President's Cup" by defeating Charles Lindley of New York in straight sets.

The entry was rather small; about 25 players competing, but there was intense enthusiasm and some excellent tennis.

VERMONT.

The sixth annual Vermont State Championship Tournament was held on the courts of the Old Pine Golf Club at St. Johnsbury, Vt., August 7-11, 1906.

These tournaments since their inception have shown steady improvement in number of entries, quality of play, and efficiency of management; that of 1906 was a distinct advance over any previous year in each of these three attributes. The gods of the weather lent a helping hand in securing this result, for the week was unmarred by rain, except for a few big drops that tumbled out of an ominous looking black cloud on the afternoon of the Challenge Match, the effect of which was nothing more serious than to send all but the most courageous of the groups of the fair gallery scurrying to the clubhouse.

The tournament presented many interesting features, but perhaps those most worthy of comment were the steady and consistent work of Sweetzer of Boston throughout the tournament; the unexpected defeat of Irving Wright by Cornwall; the magnificent showing, especially gratifying to the local enthusiasts, of Fairbanks and Sprague in the Doubles, and the all-round good work of Fairbanks; and the splendidly sustained defence of the Championship cup by Semp Russ of San Antonio, Texas.

Sweetzer of the Boston Latin School, though but a lad, displayed qualities of resourcefulness and command of stroke during his matches which should carry him well into the front rank of the experts of the next decade. He was seen at his best in his match with Cornwall, who had previously beaten Wright. Cornwall was utterly unable to cope with Sweetzer's strong net play, and the latter was never headed. His stand against Russ in the Challenge match was well planned, and well executed too; but he was evidently wearied somewhat by his exertions during the week, and the superior experience and endurance of the Champion stood him in good stead.

Fairbanks and Sprague had evidently entered the Doubles with a determination to keep at least one trophy in the state, and they carried out their resolve admirably. They showed their best form in the match against Cornwall and James, where their superior team work brought them through to a win against two probably better individual performers.

Semp Russ was clearly the best of the many good men in the tournament, and the result of his match with Sweetzer was never in doubt after the first set. His win gave him a second leg on the handsome cup, and to deter him from making it his permanent possession in 1907 will require a greater tennis ability than has yet been seen in Vermont.

A word of favorable comment should be said for the work of Parker and Sibley, which showed that with a little more experience they will be factors to be reckoned with. The great improvement shown by the younger local players also deserves commendation.

The State Championship for 1907 will be held on the same courts, when it is hoped that all the old favorites and many new ones will be on hand to renew the friendly battle, and to enjoy the many festivities with which "tournament week" is always well sprinkled.

Scores:

Singles.

First Round: Arthur Sweetzer beat J. C. Tomlinson, Jr., 6-3, 7-5; W. H. Tinker beat W. L. Peck, by default; W. B. Fitch beat Ray Spaulding, 6-4, 4-6, 7-5; F. A. Lincoln beat E. N. Carter, by default; A. A. Ricker beat Gustavus Taft, 6-0, 6-4; F. H. Harris beat Joseph Moore, 6-0, 6-3; E. B. Cornwall beat A. G. Sprague, 6-4, 6-0; R. L. James beat C. W. Steele, 6-4, 6-2; I. C. Wright beat A. C. Grover, 6-1, 6-1; A. N. Reggio beat Edward Stafford, 6-2, 6-2; C. M. Richmond beat T. C. Trask, by default.

Second Round: Joseph Fairbanks beat J. G. Darragh, by default; Sweetzer beat Tinker, 6-2, 7-5; Fitch beat Lincoln, 6-2, 6-0; Harris beat Ricker, 2-6, 6-4, 6-1; Cornwall beat James, 6-4, 8-6; Wright beat Reggio, 6-2, 6-1; Richmond beat Nelson, 6-3, 6-0; Parker beat Sibley, 6-0, 6-2.

Third Round: Sweetzer beat Fairbanks, 9-7, 6-3; Harris beat Fitch, 6-3, 7-5; Cornwall beat Wright, 3-6, 6-3, 7-5; Parker beat Richmond, 6-3, 8-6.

Semi-final Round: Sweetzer beat Harris, 6-1, 7-5; Cornwall beat Parker, 6-4, 6-1.

Final Round: Sweetzer beat Cornwall, 6-4, 6-4, 6-1.

Challenge Round: Semp Russ, holder, beat Arthur Sweetzer, challenger, 5-7, 6-4, 6-3, 6-3.

Doubles.

First Round: Wright and Sweetzer beat Lincoln and Stafford, 6-1, 6-1; Fairbanks and Sprague beat Tomlinson and Harris, 7-5, 6-0; Grover and Nelson beat Reggio and Darragh, by default; Tinker and Steele beat Moore and Taft, 6-3, 6-0.

Second Round: Cornwall and James beat Fitch and Richmond, 6-1, 8-6; Fairbanks and Sprague beat Wright and Sweetzer, by default; Grover and Nelson beat Tinker and Steele, 5-7, 8-6, 6-1; Sibley and Parker beat Ricker and Spaulding, 6-3, 3-6, 6-4.

Semi-final Round: Fairbanks and Sprague beat Cornwall and James, 3-6, 6-3, 6-2; Sibley and Parker beat Grover and Nelson, 6-1, 6-4.

Final Round: Fairbanks and Sprague beat Sibley and Parker, 6-3, 9-7, 4-6, 6-2.

Challenge Round: Fairbanks and Sprague, challengers, beat Russ and Cresson, holders, by default.

Consolation Singles.

Final Round: Fairbanks beat Tomlinson, 6-1, 6-2, 3-6, 6-3.

NEW JERSEY.

Singles.

Preliminary Round: H. McK. Glazebrook beat C. C. Kelley by default; Chas. D. M. Cole beat Dr. Wm. Rosenbaum, by default; Irving Giffin beat H. Preserved Smith, 8-6, 8-6; Walter Hazard beat Hugh Tallant, by default; Robert James beat Geo. G. Henry, 6-2, 6-4; T. R. Pell beat O. B. Smith, Jr., 6-2, 6-3; James S. Dennis beat W. B. Cragin, by default; H. L. Westfall beat John C. Pearson, 6-0, 6-2; C. M. Craps beat Richard W. Seabury, 4-6, 6-1, 6-0; Reeve Schley beat Fred Colston, by default; G. M. Bodman beat P. L. Weimer, 6-4, 5-7, 6-1; E. P. Staunton beat M. Walker, by default; Herman Behr beat Henry M. Hall, 6-3, 6-4; C. W. Throckmorton beat Blakeman Meyer, 6-0, 6-0; Leon S. Freeman beat Dr. F. H. Glazebrook, 6-1, 6-4; Alfred J. Hincks beat Perry Merrell, 6-4, 6-3.

First Round: H. McK. Glazebrook beat Chas. D. M. Cole, 6-2, 6-2; Walter Hazard beat Irving Giffin, 6-1, 6-3; T. R. Pell beat Robert

James, 6-1, 6-0; H. L. Westfall beat James S. Dennis, 6-0, 6-0; Reeve Schley beat C. M. Craps, 6-4, 6-3; E. P. Staunton beat G. M. Bodman, by default; Herman Behr beat C. W. Throckmorton, 6-3, 6-1; Leon S. Freeman beat Alfred J. Hincks, 6-3, 6-3.

Second Round: H. McK. Glazebrook beat Walter Hazard, 9-7, 6-4; T. R. Pell beat H. L. Westfall, 6-0, 6-1; Reeve Schley beat E. P. Staunton, 6-0, 6-3; Leon S. Freeman beat Herman Behr, 6-1, 6-2.

Semi-final Round; T. R. Pell beat H. McK. Glazebrook, 6-4, 6-4; Reeve Schley beat Leon S. Freeman, 6-4, 8-6.

Final Round: T. R. Pell beat Reeve Schley, 6-3, 6-1, 6-0.

Challenge Round: F. G. Anderson beat T. R. Pell, 6-2, 6-1, 3-6, 6-2.

Doubles.

Preliminary Round: Robt. James and Richard W. Seabury beat E. P. Staunton and Partridge, 6-3, 8-6; M. Walker and S. Carter beat Grant and Grant, by default; C. M. Craps and T. B. Duyckinck beat L. H. Shutte and Henry M. Hall, 6-2, 8-6; F. G. Anderson and H. L. Westfall beat Herman Behr and Walter Hazard, 8-6, 6-3; Reeve Schley and G. M. Bodman beat H. McK. Glazebrook and Dr. F. H. Glazebrook, 9-7, 10-8; T. R. Pell and B. S. Prentice beat P. L. Weimer and F. B. Richardson, 6-0, 6-2; A. J. Hincks and H. P. Smith beat L. S. Freeman and C. W. Throckmorton, 6-2, 1-6, 8-6; James S. Dennis and Burnham Dell beat O. B. Smith, Jr., and Blakeman Meyer, 6-2, 6-0.

First Round: M. Walker and S. Carter beat Robt. James and R. W. Seabury, 6-2, 3-5, 6-0; F. G. Anderson and H. L. Westfall beat C. M. Craps and T. B. Duyckinck, 6-3, 6-3; T. R. Pell and B. S. Prentice beat Reeve Schley and G. M. Bodman, 6-3, 6-2; A. J. Hincks and H. P. Smith beat James S. Dennis and Burnham Dell, 8-6, 6-3.

Semi-final Round: M. Walker and S. Carter beat F. G. Anderson and H. L. Westfall, 6-4, 10-8, T. R. Pell and B. S. Prentice beat A. J. Hincks and H. P. Smith, 6-3, 4-6, 6-3.

Final Round: T. R. Pell and B. S. Prentice beat M. Walker and S. Carter, 6-3, 6-4, 6-3.

Men's Consolation.

H. P. Smith beat O. B. Smith, Jr., in the Finals, three sets out of five.

Ladies' Doubles.

Mrs. W. C. Aufermann and Miss E. W. Smith beat Miss M. Swords and Miss Eleanor Souther, 6-2, 6-0.

Challenge Round: Miss Alice Day beat Miss Edna Wildey, 4-6, 6-4, 6-4.

Ladies' Consolation.

Won by Miss Eleanor Souther who beat Mrs. W. C. Aufermann, 6-2, 4-2, by default.

Mixed Doubles.

Won by Miss Edna Wildey and Dr. F. H. Glazebrook, in a close match against Miss Eleanor Souther and P. L. Weimer. The score was 9-7, 8-6.

DELAWARE.

The first annual open tennis tournament for the championship of the State of Delaware in Men's Singles and Men's Doubles under the auspices of the United States National Lawn Tennis Association was held on the dirt courts of the Wilmington Country Club, Wilmington, Del., commencing Saturday July 7, 1906 at 2.30 p. m. A large and appreciative audience was present. The entry list, comprising twenty-three (23) men in Singles and ten (10) teams in Doubles, contained prominent players from Delaware, Pennsylvania and New Jersey. The preliminary, first, and one match in the second round was completed on that day. The best match was that in the second round, between H. J. Rendall, Princeton, N. J., and J. R. Carpenter, Jr., Germantown C. C., which after a close and exciting finish was won by the former, 3-6, 6-3, 7-5. Unfortunately later in the tournament Mr. Rendall had to default owing to sickness. On the following Monday and Tuesday rain interfered so little progress was made. On Wednes-

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day play was continued in the Singles, and Men's Doubles started and some exciting matches resulted. Friday saw the finish of the Men's Doubles, P. B. Hawke and R. L. James, Belmont C. C. winning from R. J. Crozier and C. M. Bunting, Merion C. C. by the score 6-4, 3-6, 6-4, 7-5, after a hot and closely contested match. Saturday, July 14 witnessed the Final match in Singles, P. B. Hawke, Belmont C. C. defeating his partner in Doubles, R. L. James, Belmont C. C. rather easily 6-2, 6-3, 6-2.

Besides the first prize in each event, Challenge cups were presented to the winners to be contested for annually and will become the permanent property of the individual, and pair winning the same three times, not necessarily in succession.

The tournament was a very successful one and it is hoped that there will be even more entries in 1907.

Men's Singles.

First Round: H. M. Canby beat G. P. Bissell, 6-4, 6-1; R. L. James beat E. S. Ogden, 6-1, 6-1; R. M. Philler beat J. Jackson, 6-1, 6-1; C. I. Ganse beat A. B. Taylor, by default; Bayard Knerr beat W. M. Bannard, Jr., 6-3, 6-3; J. P. Wales beat D. R. Branch, 6-0, 6-0; E. E. du Pont beat H. S. Townsend, 6-3, 6-0.

Second Round: H. J. Rendall beat Levi L. Maloney, 6-2, 6-1; J. R. Cotton, Jr., beat H. B. Register, 6-4, 3-6, 6-3; James beat Canby, 6-1, 6-2; Philler beat Ganse, 6-1, 6-2; Wales beat Knerr, 6-1, 6-3; du Pont beat F. T. Ganse, 6-2, 1-6, 6-3; A. L. Hoskins beat J. O. Downey, 6-2, 6-3; P. B. Hawke beat P. T. Wright, 8-6, 6-3.

Third Round: Rendall beat Carpenter, 3-6, 6-3, 7-5; James beat Philler, 6-1, 6-3; Wales beat du Pont, 6-2, 6-2; Hawke beat Hoskins, 6-2, 6-0.

Semi-final Round: James beat Rendall, by default; Hawke beat Wales, 6-3, 6-4.

Final Round: Hawke beat James, 6-2, 6-3, 6-2.

Men's Doubles.

First Round: S. H. Collum and F. H. Bates beat R. M. Philler and J. O. Downey, 6-3, 6-4; H. M. Canby and C. I. Ganse beat H. S. Townsend and W. M. Bannard, Jr., 6-0, 7-5.

Second Round: R. J. Crozier and C. M. Bunting beat Bayard Knerr and S. P. Levis, 6-2, 3-6, 6-1; Collum and Bates beat Wales and Wright,

6-2, 6-3; H. B. Register and A. L. Hoskins beat Canby and Ganse, 6-8, 8-6, 6-3; P. B. Hawke and R.L. James beat E.S. Ogden and D. R. Branch, 8-6, 6-4.

Semi-final Round: Crozier and Bunting beat Collum and Bates, 6-3, 6-1; Hawke and James beat Register and Hoskins, 7-5, 6-1.

Final Round: Hawke and James beat Crozier and Bunting, 6-4, 3-6, 6-4, 7-5.

Consolation Singles.

Register beat Wright, 0-6, 6-4, 2-6, 6-3, 6-3.

Consolation Doubles.

Philler and Downey beat Knerr and Levis, 3-6, 6-1, 8-6, 6-4.

MARYLAND.

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The annual June tournament, open only to residents of Maryland brought out the best of the local men, and an unusually large number of ladies. F. C. Colston again won the Singles, defeating Dr. Henry Helmholtz in the Final round. Colston and B. B. V. Lyon again won the Doubles, defeating Dr. John H. King and Dr. Helmholtz in the Finals. Miss Mary MacHenry of Cumberland, won the ladies' Singles and the handsome silver cup presented by Mr. G. W. Knapp, defeating Miss McCormick in a well-played match. Miss Emma Jackson and Miss McCormick won the Ladies Doubles and Miss McCormick and B. B. V. Lyon won the Mixed Doubles.

Maryland State Tournament.

The tournament for the big Catonsville Country Club challenge cup and the open Championship of Maryland was started on Sept. 10. The weather was unusually hot during the first part of the week and caused much distress to the players, a rainy afternoon in the middle of the week did not prevent play, and after that, weather conditions with the

exception of wind, were ideal. A large gallery filled the clubhouse piazzas and lawn each day of the tournament, and even the showers of Wednesday did not keep the eager spectators from the courts.

The pick of the local men were entered and the presence of a number of out-of-town cracks increased greatly the interest of the tournament. E. B. Dewhurst who won the cup played better tennis than ever before at Catonsville and though Robt. LeRoy, the defender, played excellent tennis, Dewhurst outplayed him throughout the match and won in straight sets, 6-1, 7-5, 8-6; Colston, Sulloway, Dewhurst and others played very good tennis throughout the week and the residents of Catonsville were as usual most courteous in their treatment of the visiting players.

B. B. V. Lyon who last year won the Doubles with Colston was much missed from the tournament, but he was unable to return to Baltimore in time to play. The week was thoroughly enjoyed by both local and visiting players and each year there is keener interest shown in the contest for the big silver cup, which already has engraved on it the names of H. F. Allen, B. C. Wright, Robt. LeRoy and E. B. Dewhurst.

Singles.

Preliminary Round: C. G. Brooke beat N. James, 6-2, 7-9, 6-1; E. B. Clary won by default from A. D. Atkinson; F. J. Sulloway beat J. A. C. Colston, 3-6, 6-3, 6-3; J. Bowes won by default from H. J. Holt; C. Harvey beat W. C. Walker, 6-2, 6-1; W. Watters won by default from J. Kerr; Dewhurst beat A. Harvey, Jr., 6-1, 6-1; C. S. Brown beat J. B. Whitehead, 6-2, 6-2; F. C. Colston beat Loree, 6-0, 6-2; J. George beat J. C. Brown, 6-2, 0-6, 6-3.

First Round: G. A. Colston by default from J. P. Baer; Brooke by default from B. C. Wright; Sulloway beat Clary, 6-4, 6-2; C. Harvey beat Bowes, 6-4, 6-0; Dewhurst beat Watters, 6-1, 6-3; F. C. Colston beat C. S. Brown, 6-1, 6-2; George by default from Behr; A. M. Knapp by default from A. R. Riggs.

Second Round: Brooke beat G. A. Colston, 6-2, 6-0; Sulloway beat C. Harvey, 5-7, 6-1, 6-1; Dewhurst beat F. C. Colston, 6-4, 6-4; Knapp beat George, 8-6, 7-5.

Semi-final Round: Sulloway beat Brooke, 6-3, 6-3; Dewhurst beat Knapp, 6-2, 6-3.

Final Round: Dewhurst beat Sulloway, 6-2, 6-1, 8-6.

Challenge Round: Dewhurst beat LeRoy, 6-1, 7-5, 8-6.

Doubles.

Preliminary Round: LeRoy and Dewhurst by default from C. Brooke and J. Kerr; G. Bowdoin and C. Lowndes beat A. Knapp and G. Knapp, 0-6, 6-4, 6-3; J. Bowes and C. S. Brown beat Watters and Theobald, 7-5, 6-1; J. P. Baer and Dr. Hamman, by default; F. C. Colston and F. J. Sulloway, by default.

First Round: LeRoy and Dewhurst beat J. Frause and H. Bland, 6-3, 6-1; Bowes and Brown beat Bowdoin and Lowndes, 6-4, 6-3; Colston and Sulloway beat Baer and Hamman, 6-3, 6-0; E. Whitman and C. Harvey beat J. A. C. Colston and J. C. Brown, 6-1, 6-1.

Semi-final Round: LeRay and Dewhurst beat Bowes and Brown, 6-3, 3-0, default; Colston and Sulloway beat Whitman and Harvey.

Final Round: LeRoy and Dewhurst beat Colston and Sulloway, 8-6, 4-6, 7-5, 6-4.

Consolation Round: J. A. C. Colston won the Consolation and played good tennis throughout the week. He was beaten by Sulloway in the first round, 3-6, 6-3, 6-3.

VIRGINIA.

The sixth annual lawn tennis tournament for the open championship of Virginia was played on the dirt courts of the Country Club, Elizabeth River Beach, Norfolk, Va., the week commencing June 4, 1906, under the auspices of the U. S. N. L. T. A.

The courts were not in the best of condition, not having been used much prior to the date of the tournament, and some days of easterly wind, with one afternoon of rain, delayed the games somewhat, and prevented the best of tennis.

Men's Doubles, Men's Singles, and Men's Consolation Singles were the only events, as there were no lady entries.

Miss M. C. Evans, of Richmond, Va., the winner of the Ladies' Singles in 1905, having no one to challenge her for the trophy cup, donated by the club last year, becomes the winner again this year, by default.

In the Men's Singles Hugh G. Whitehead, of Norfolk, Va., won the tournament, and as Harry F. Allen, of New York City, was unable

HUGH G. WHITEHEAD,
Virginia State Champion.

to be on hand to defend his title to the trophy cup, it passed into the possession of Hugh G. Whitehead, for the year 1906.

In the Men's Doubles the winners of the tournament were Washington Reed, of Portsmouth, Va., and Hugh G. Whitehead of Norfolk, Va., who thus became the challengers for the trophy cups, and in the Challenge round defeated last year's holders, Mr. B. B. Vincent Lyon, and Fred C. Colston of Baltimore, Md.

The Consolation Singles was won by Dr. J. R. Bagby of Newport News, Va., who secured the first prize, while Mr. R. W. Tomlin was the winner of the second prize.

Baltimore, Md., Atlanta, Ga., Wilmington, N. C., and Newport News, Va., all sent representatives.

First prize in the Men's Singles went to Mr. Hugh G. Whitehead of Norfolk, while the second fell to Mr. Washington Reed, of Portsmouth, Va.

First prize in the Doubles was won by Messrs Whitehead, and Reed while the second came into the possession of Mr. Walter H. Taylor, Jr., and his brother, J. Saunders Taylor, both of Norfolk, Va.

Men's Championship Singles.

Preliminary Round: George M. Meredith beat M. A. Agelasto, by default; Walter H. Taylor, Jr., beat James S. Barron, 6-1, 6-1; Robertson Eppes beat C. H. Meakin, 6-3, 7-5; C. F. McIntosh beat Paymaster Charles Morris, Jr., U. S. A., 6-1, 6-0; Dr. J. R. Bagby beat T. S. Garnett, Jr., by default; Washington Reed beat J. Saunders Taylor, by default; R. H. Gwaltney of Wilmington, N. C., beat R. W. Tomlin, 6-4, 2-6, 6-4.

First Round: Lewellyn D. Scott of Atlanta, beat C. E. Taylor, Jr., of Wilmington, N. C., 6-1, 6-3; Hugh G. Whitehead beat R. S. James of New York, by default; W. H. Taylor, Jr., beat Geo. M. Meredith, 6-1, 6-2; C. F. McIntosh beat Robertson Eppes, 7-5, 6-4; Washington Reed, beat Dr. J. R. Bagby of Newport News, 6-3, 6-1; B. B. Vincent Lyon of Baltimore, beat R. H. Gwaltney of Wilmington, N. C., 6-1, 6-2; J. E. Abbe of Newport News beat Dr. Wm. B. Meredith, 6-4, 6-4; Hugh M. Murray beat Richard Tunstall by default.

Second Round: Hugh G. Whitehead beat L. D Scott of Atlanta, 6-4, 6-3; Walter H. Taylor, Jr., beat C. F. McIntosh, 7-5, 6-3; Washington Reed beat B. B. Vincent Lyon of Baltimore, 6-2, 6-1; J. E. Abbe of Newport News beat Hugh M. Murray, 6-1, 6-2.

Semi-final Round: Hugh G. Whitehead beat Walter H. Taylor, Jr., 6-3, 4-6, 9-7, and Washington Reed beat J. E. Abbe of Newport News, 6-0, 6-3.

Final Round: H. G. Whitehead beat Washington Reed, 4-6, 6-0, 6-0, 6-4.

Championship Round: H. G. Whitehead beat Harry F. Allen of New York, by default; this leaving Whitehead the State Champion for the year 1906.

Men's Championship Doubles.

First Round: Murray and Old beat George and Reuben Meredith, 6-3, 3-6, 6-3; Whitehead and Reed beat Tunstall and partner, by default; McIntosh and Scott beat Gwaltney and C. E., Taylor, Jr., 6-3, 6-3.

Semi-final Round: Whitehead and Reed beat Murray and Old, 6-1, 6-2; Walter H. Taylor, Jr., and J. Saunders Taylor beat McIntosh and Scott, 5-7, 6-2, 6-4.

Final Round: Whitehead and Reed beat W. H. Taylor, Jr., and J. S. Taylor in an exciting game, 10-8, 8-6, 3-6, 6-1.

Challenge Round: Whitehead and Reed (challengers) beat B. B. Vincent Lyon and Fred. C. Colston of Baltimore (holders), 6-4, 2-6, 6-3, 6-8, 6-0.

Consolation Singles.

Dr. J. R. Bagby of Newport News beat R. W. Tomlin, 6-2, 4-6, 6-4.

WEST VIRGINIA.

The first annual Invitation Tournament for West Virginia Championship was held at The Parkersburg Country Club, Parkersburg, W. Va., on Sept. 17, 18, and 19. The weather conditions were perfect, and the clubs four clay courts were in splendid condition.

Great interest was taken in the tournament by lovers of the sport as was shown by the attendance, and the ladies were particularly in evidence throughout the several days' play. The visitors included players from the different sections of the state, and they were entertained with several informal affairs during the first and second days

of the tournament, and on the third day the tournament was brought to a close with a large club dance in the evening, and all expressed themselves as highly pleased with the cordial treatment accorded them. A handsome silver Challenge cup was offered by the club to be won three times, not necessarily in succession, in the Singles, and same was won by Mr. Everett Drennen. Individual cups were also presented to the runner-up in Singles, Mr. Ralph Hanlon, and to the winners in Doubles, Messrs Drennen and White.

Scores:

Preliminary Round: E. L. Long beat Clarence Peck, by default; R. A. Johnson beat Green, by default; Ralph Hanlon beat Geo. Ross, 6-4, 4-6, 6-3; Everett Drennen beat Nelson Hubbard, by default; Jno Wallace beat Purinton by default; S. Fleming beat J. G. Sale, by default.

First Round: E. R. Kingsley beat Jack Kincaid, by default; J. H. Rock beat Ed. Hanlon, by default; E. L. Long beat Carrol Camden, 6-4, 6-2; Ralph Hanlon beat R. A. Johnson, 2-6, 6-4, 6-2; Everett Drennen beat Jno. Wallace, 6-1, 6-4; Ward White beat S. Fleming, 6-3, 6-0; J. G. Ramsay beat Harry Anderson, by default; J. O. Watson beat J. A. Shrewsbury, 6-0, 6-2.

Second Round: J. H. Rock beat E. R. Kingsley, 6-1, 6-3; Ralph Hanlon beat E. L. Long, 6-1, 6-2; Everett Drennen beat Ward White, 6-2, 9-7, 7-5; J. O. Watson beat J. G. Ramsay, 6-0, 6-2.

Semi-final Round: Ralph Hanlon beat J. H. Rock, 6-0, 6-3; Everett Drennen beat J. O. Watson, 6-3, 7-5, 6-3.

Final Round: Everett Drennen beat Ralph Hanlon, 6-3, 1-6, 6-2, 6-3.

Doubles.

Preliminary Round: Fleming and Long beat Johnson and Ross, 6-4, 6-3; White and Drennen beat Kingsley and Shrewsbury, 6-2, 6-2; Watson and Rock beat Camden and Ross, 6-2, 6-3. Hanlon and Hubbard beat Ramsay and Wallace, 6-4, 6-2.

Semi-final Round: White and Drennen beat Fleming and Long, 6-3, 6-1; Hanlon and Hubbard beat Watson and Rock, 6-3, 6-2.

Final Round: White and Drennen beat Hanlon and Hubbard, 1-6, 6-3, 6-3, 7-5.

TRI-STATE TOURNAMENT.

Ohio, Indiana and Kentucky.

Cincinnati's position as the foremost tennis center of the West was again evidenced throughout the week of Sept. 1 to 8, 1906, the occasion being the Eighth Cincinnati Open Tennis Tournament. Play was held on the courts of the Cincinnati Tennis Club and under the auspices of the U. S. N. L. T. A. Each day the grounds were thronged with a representative audience and the interest manifested throughout was unprecedented, while the quality of play, although one or two of the men seemed to be out of form, was on an average higher than that of any previous occasion. The entry list, too, was the largest in the history of these meetings, together giving indisputable evidence of the growing popularity and permanency of tennis. Most gratifying to the association was the increased number of players who were attracted from a distance. From California came Miss May Sutton and Miss Florence Sutton together with A. C. Way. Prominent among several from the South were Southern Champion Ned Thornton and his partner, Grant. Kreigh Collins, Western Champion, headed the Chicago delegation, while B. C. Wright, Behr, R. D. Little and LeRoy made up a quartet of representative Easterners.

Much attention centered in Miss Florence Sutton. In the Singles her presence added a degree of uncertainty to the final outcome that only increased as the week sped on. True to predictions she swept all before her in the preliminaries thereby gaining the right to challenge her sister, Miss May Sutton, Tri-State Champion and holder of the Tri-State Challenge cup. The weather was perfect and their match drew an over-crowded gallery. The Champion started with a rush, winning the first three games. Miss Florence Sutton retaliated by taking the fourth and fifth and after losing the sixth game added the next three to her credit by grand playing, thus forcing the score to 5-4

GOVERNOR'S BOWL,
Tri-State, Ohio, Indiana and Kentucky.
Won for the third time by BEALS C. WRIGHT.

in her favor. At this critical period the incomparable steadiness of Miss May Sutton asserted itself and to that lady went the three following games and set, 7-5. Early in the second set Miss Florence Sutton showed signs of fatigue and it became evident that the terrific pace of the previous games could not be long maintained. On the other hand the Champion grew stronger and eventually the set and match were hers, 7-5, 6-2. One more victory will give Miss May Sutton permanent possession of the Challenge trophy. In summing up these games certain it is that they were a revelation to the spectators and the sisters will be warmly welcomed when they return. In justice to the local lady players it may be said that the work of many showed marked improvement and gave promise that some future Champions will claim Cincinnati as their home. The Finals in Ladies' Doubles brought Miss May Sutton and Miss Marjorie Dodd against Miss Florence Sutton and Miss Lulah Belden. Some excellent tennis resulted, the first team winning only after the full three sets had been played. Score 6-3, 3-6, 6-3.

Seventy-eight contested in Men's Singles for the honor of meeting Tri-State Champion, B. C. Wright, a feature of these matches being the initial appearance before a Queen City audience of Karl Behr, the Yale expert. The favorites seemed to win in each event until the third round, when Kreigh Collins was retired at the hands of Thornton. Collins was in poor form while the Southerner played a steady, carefully planned game. The locals, W. P. Hunt and Dr. Carl Little also clashed in this round, Hunt winning, 6-3, 6-8, 7-5. In the Semi-Finals LeRoy had no trouble with Thornton, while R. D. Little and Behr resumed hostilities after their sensational match at Newport the week before. Little turned the tables and won 7-5, 6-4. Every one of the twenty-two games was hard fought with Little just good enough to take the deciding points. The Final round saw LeRoy making perhaps his premier impression of the year. He chose to remain mostly in the back and, having perfect control over every stroke his work proved most effective. Little opened in good form but lost the set 9-7, being unfortunate in having a number of his adversary's returns drop unexpectedly into his court after striking the net. The second set was decided strictly on its merits. Advantage alternated until ten-all had been called when LeRoy broke through Little's service and winning his own took the set 12-10. During a rally in the third set Little sustained a fall and from that on the result was hardly in doubt, LeRoy capturing the set, 6-1;

thus qualifying for the Championship round. Mr. Wright arrived early in the week from Newport and spent the time quietly in practising and renewing acquaintances. His appearance on the court with LeRoy was the signal for an ovation and the ensuing struggle made a fitting climax to the tournament. Wright lost no time in bringing his "chop" stroke into action. at the same time being very steady and safe in his play. These tactics bothered LeRoy from the start, with the result that the net received many of the shots that wrought such havoc with Little's game the day before. All the while Wright was making few mistakes and lost no time in taking the first two sets, 6-4, 6-4. Here LeRoy found himself and by a wonderful effort pulled the score up to two-sets all. To many it seemed that the New Yorker had solved Wright's game could he but last. But the Champion was not to be outdone and the deciding set found him playing as he never played before, allowing his brilliant opponent but two games. Final score, 6-4, 6-4, 4-6, 4-6, 6-2. This constituted Wright's third victory for the Governors' Bowl, the Challenge trophy in Men's Singles, and by deed of gift the beautiful prize became his personal property. Immediately at the conclusion of the match formal presentation was made to Mr. Wright amid the applause of the crowded stands and thus the eighth Tri-State Tournament passed into tennis history.

The Doubles were replete with exciting and hard-fought matches. W. P. Hunt and H. T. Emerson of Cincinnati succeeded in reaching the Finals where they lost to R. D. Little and Karl Behr only after those gentlemen had barely escaped with their lives at the hands of A. C. Way and LeRoy.

The Finals in Mixed Doubles brought Miss May Sutton and A. C. Way against Miss Florence Sutton and Josiah Belden. Miss May Sutton and A. C. Way won, 7-5, 6-2.

Scores:

Men's Singles.

Preliminary Round: R. L. Loesch beat Lincoln Mitchell, 6-3, 4-6, 6-4; John Wentzel beat Dr. C. King, 6-0, 6-0; Josiah Belden beat Ernest DuBray, 6-0, 5-7, 6-2; W. P. Hunt beat H. C. Powell, by default; Louis Blakemore beat A. H. Pugh, Jr., 6-3, 3-6, 6-3; Oliver Dunlap beat Casimer Werk, 6-2, 6-1; Vactor Chambers beat Robert Mitchell, 10-8, 0-6, 7-5; E. Starbuck Smith beat S. J. Thompson, 6-1, 6-3; Wm. Hopple beat Carlisle Murdock, 6-0, 6-2; Ned Peebles beat Robt. Ralston, 6-0 6 0; Charles Rodgers beat R. T. Hardegan, 2-6, 6-3, 6-3; A. B.

Cole beat J. V. Greenebaum, 6-1, 7-9, 6-2; Bryan Grant beat John Wachman, 6-1, 6-2.

First Round: Philip Eckert beat C. B. Grove, 6-3, 4-6, 6-0; Nat. Thornton beat Vorgil Tucker, 6-3, 6-4; Hence Orme beat F. P. Colville, by default; Kreigh Collins beat Herndon Maury, 6-0, 6-0; Boyden Kinsey beat F. L. Townley, 3-6, 7-5, 7-5; Cowan Rodgers beat Albert Zimmerman, 6-1, 6-2; Hugh Bates beat Dr. Howard Ware, by default; E. N. Wirthlin beat Evans Hodge, 6-4, 6-1; Mark Mitchell beat Dr. R. Runyan, 6-1, 7-5; Heath Byford beat W. A. Rowdebush, 6-2, 6-2; Stanley Ramsey beat John Schaaf, 6-4, 6-2; Robert LeRoy beat Arthur Fisher, 6-0, 6-1; Dr. Karl Little beat R. L. Loesch, 6-1, 4-6, 6-2; John Wentzel beat Josiah Belden, 6-4, 2-6, 15-13; W. P. Hunt beat Louis Blakemore, 6-0, 6-0; Vactor Chambers beat Oliver Dunlap, 6-8, 6-0, 6-4; Wm. Hopple beat E. Starbuck Smith, 6-0, 6-4; Ned Peebles beat Charles Rodgers, 3-6, 6-3, 6-4; Bryan Grant beat A. B. Cole, 6-4, 6-3; H. T. Emerson beat F. W. Pickard, 6-4, 6-2; F. P. Garrison beat John Mitchell, 6-1, 6-2; Paul Gardner beat Percy Cox, 6-3, 6-3; Lawrence Cowing beat B. C. DeCamp, 6-1, 6-3; R. D. Little beat F. Marty, 6-2, 6-3; Karl Behr beat Clifford Wright, Jr., 6-0, 6-3; R. A. Bruce beat H. L. Jones, by default; Elliott Middleton beat Walter Koehler, 6-0, 6-3; C. H. Farber beat C. R. Sloan, 6-2, 6-3; W. T. Hayes beat W. M. Tyler, 6-0, 6-3; Warren J. Ritchie beat Stewart Sutphin, by default; James Kidney beat C. E. Hall, 6-4, 6-1; A. C. Way beat Charles Trask, by default;

Second Round: Nat. Thornton beat Philip Eckert, 6-1, 4-6, 6-3; Kreigh Collins beat Hence Orme, 6-2, 6-1; Cowan Rodgers beat Boyden Kinsey, by default; Hugh Bates beat E. N. Wirthlin, 6-2, 6-3; Heath Byford beat Mark Mitchell, 6-1, 6-2; Robert LeRoy beat Stanley Ramsey, 6-3, 6-0; Dr. Karl Little beat John Wentzel, 6-1, 6-0; W. P. Hunt beat Vactor Chambers, 6-3, 6-0; Ned Peebles beat Wm. Hopple, 6-2, 6-1; H. T. Emerson beat Bryan Grant, 6-4, 6-1; F. P. Harrison beat Paul Gardner, 6-1, 6-4; R. D. Little beat Lawrence Cowing, 6-1, 6-3; Karl Behr beat R. A. Bruce, by default; Elliott Middleton beat C. H. Farber, 2-6, 7-5, 6-8; W. T. Hayes beat Warren J. Ritchie, 6-1, 6-4; James Kidney beat A. C. Way, by default.

Third Round: Nat. Thornton beat Kriegh Collins, 6-4, 4-6, 6-2; Cowan Rodgers beat Hugh Bates, 6-2, 6-4; Robert LeRoy beat Heath Byford, 6-4, 6-3; W. P. Hunt beat Dr. Karl Little, 6-3, 4-6, 7-5; H. T. Emerson beat Ned Peebles, 6-4, 6-3; R. D. Little beat F. P. Garri-

son, 6-2, 6-2; Karl Behr beat Elliott Middleton, 6-3, 6-3; W. T. Hayes beat James Kidney, 6-2, 6-3.

Fourth Round: Nat. Thornton beat Cowan Rodgers, 6-1, 6-4; Robert LeRoy beat W. P. Hunt, 6-1, 6-2; R. D. Little beat H. T. Emerson, 6-1, 6-3; Karl Behr beat W. T. Hayes, 6-3, 6-2.

Semi-final Round: Robert LeRoy beat Nat. Thornton, 6-1, 6-2; R. D. Little beat Karl Behr, 6-4, 7-5.

Final Round: Robert LeRoy beat R. D. Little, 9-7, 12-10, 6-1.

Championship Round: Beals C. Wright beat Robert LeRoy, 6-4, 6-4, 4-6, 4-6, 6-2.

Winner: Beals C. Wright.

Men's Doubles.

Preliminary Round: Arthur Fisher and Casimer Werk beat John Mitchell and Francis Harrison, 7-5, 6-0, 6-1; Stewart Sutphin and Ned. Peebles beat R. L. Loesch and R. T. Hardegan, by default; Elliott Middleton and John D. Sage beat J. Victor Greenebaum and Alber Kahn ,6-4, 6-1, 6-3; G. P. Hunt and Este M. Lea beat Erwin Bosworth and Dana Burne t. 6-0, 6-2, 7-5; Charles Rodgers and Cowan Rodgers beat V. T. Chambers and John Wentzel, 6-1, 6-3, 7-5; Robert Mitchell and Linclon Mitchell beat Warren J. Ritchie and Philip Eckert, 6-3, 6-4, 6-0; Frank Marty and C. H. Farber beat C. R. Sloan and B. C. DeCamp, 6-2, 2-6, 6-4, 7-5.

First Round: Robert LeRoy and A. C. Way beat Walter Koehler and H. E. Coombe, 6-0, 6-0, 6-1; Josiah Belden and Mark Mitchell beat L. B. Blackmore and Virgil Tucker, 6-2, 6-3, 6-0; Karl Behr and R. D. Little beat Dr. Fred Loesch and Harry Woods, 6-1, 6-1, 6-1. Bryan Grant and Nat. Thornton beat Robt. Ralston and Albert Zimmerman, 6-2, 6-0, 6-4; Wm. Hopple and Geo. DeCamp beat Stanley Ramsey and Clifford Wright, Jr., 6-4, 6-4, 2-6, 6-2; Heath Byford and Paul Gardner beat E. N. Wirthlin and A. B. Cole, 6-1, 6-3, 6-0; Stewart Sutphin and Ned. Peebles beat Arthur Fisher and Casimer Werk, 6-2, 6-3, 6-4; Elliott Middleton and John Sage beat G. P. Hunt and Este M. Lea, 6-0, 6-2, 6-2; Robert Mitchell and Lincoln Mitchell beat Charles Rodgers and Cowan Rodgers, 5-7, 6-3, 6-4, 6-3; Frank Marty and C. H. Farber beat W. D. Breed and L. B. Harrison, Jr., 6-2, 2-6, 7-5, 6-1; Kreigh Collins and W. T. Hayes beat Lawrence Cowing and Boyden Kinsey, 6-3, 6-3, 6-1; T. Oliver Dunlap and Starbuck Smith beat Percy DeCamp and Ray Klein, 8-6, 6-4, 6-3; W. P.

Hunt and H. T. Emerson beat C. B. Grove and Hence Orme, 6-0, 6-1, 6-2; Hugh Bates and James Kidney beat W. M. Tyler and F. W. Pickard, 6-2, 5-7, 6-2, 8-6; Dr. K. F. Little and F. P. Garrison beat John Schaff and Ernest DuBray, 6-2, 6-1, 6-0; Tyler Field and Burton Hollister beat James Drewry and James Simmons, 6-1, 6-0, 6-4.

Second Round: Robert LeRoy and A. C. Way beat Josiah Belden and Mark Mitchell, 9-11, 6-0, 6-2, 6-1; Karl Behr and R. D. Little beat Bryan Grant and Nat. Thornton, 6-1, 6-2, 6-4; Heath Byford and Paul Gardner beat Wm. Hopple and Geo. DeCamp, 3-6, 6-3, 2-6, 7-5, 6-2; Stewart Sutphin and Ned Peebles beat Elliott Middleton and John Sage ,6-4, 4-6, 3-6, 6-4, 6-0, Robert Mitchell and Lincoln Mitchell beat Frank Marty and C. H. Farber. 6-3, 6-3, 6-3; Kreigh Collins and W. T. Hayes beat T. Oliver Dunlap and Starbuck Smith, 6-2, 6-2, 6-0; W. P. Hunt and H. T. Emerson beat Hugh Bates and James Kidney, 6-0, 6-3, 6-1; Dr. K. F. Little and F. P. Garrison beat Tyler Field and Burton Hollister, 6-1, 6-2, 3-6, 7-5.

Third Round: Karl Behr and R. D. Little beat Robert LeRoy and A. C. Way, 8-6, 4-6, 0-6, 6-1, 6-1; Heath Byford and Paul Gardner beat Stewart Sutphin and Ned. Peebles, 6-2, 6-1, 6-2; Kreigh Collins and W. T. Hayes beat Robt. Mitchell and Lincoln Mitchell, 6-0, 6-2, 6-2; W. P. Hunt and H. T. Emerson beat Dr. K. F. Little and F. P. Garrison, 3-6, 4-6, 6-0, 6-1, 6-4.

Semi-final Round: Karl Behr and R. D. Little beat Heath Byford and Paul Gardner, 8-6, 6-1, 6-4; W. P. Hunt and H. T. Emerson beat Kreigh Collins and W. T. Hayes. 6-3, 5-7, 6-4, 10-8.

Final Round: Karl Behr and R. D. Little beat W. P. Hunt and H. T. Emerson, 6-4, 8-6, 6-3.

Ladies' Singles.

First Round: Miss Emily Woodall beat Miss Edith Egan, 5-7, 6-4, 6-4; Miss Ruth Harper beat Miss Virginia Bell, by default; Miss Dorothy Kellogg beat Miss Martha Wilby, 6-1, 6-1; Miss Florence Sutton beat Miss Lillian Williams, 6-1, 6-1; Miss Ruth Cowing beat Miss Cecelia Jewett, 6-1, 6-1; Miss Helen Ratterman beat Miss Jeanett Rawson, 6-4, 6-1; Miss Kate Bradley beat Miss Harriett Pendleton, 6-1, 6-3; Miss Marian Hunt beat Miss Mary L. Burton, 9-7, 5-7, 6-1; Mrs. Vivian Harcourt beat Miss Louise Ayers, 6-4, 6-2; Miss Jessie Bruce beat Miss Nana Taylor, 6-3, 6-0; Miss Mardi Hunt beat Miss Louise Wachman, 6-4, 6-3; Miss Adelaide Burton beat Miss Bessie

Langdon, 6-1, 5-7, 6-4; Miss Marjorie Dodd beat Miss Natalie Breed, 6-2, 6-4; Mrs. Stanley Ramsey beat Miss Frances Smith, 6-1, 6-1; Miss Emily Wickersham beat Miss Mary Bruce, 6-3, 6-1; Miss Lulah Belden beat Miss Adele Kruse, 6-4, 6-8, 6-3.

Second Round: Miss Ruth Harper beat Miss Emily Woodall, 2-6, 7-5, 7-5; Miss Florence Sutton beat Miss Dorothy Kellogg, 6-2, 6-0; Miss Ruth Cowing beat Miss Helen Ratterman, 6-1, 2-6, 6-4; Miss Marian Hunt beat Miss Kate Bradley, 6-2, 6-3; Mrs. Vivian Harcourt beat Miss Jessie Bruce, 6-4, 4-6, 6-2; Miss Mardi Hunt beat Miss Adelaide Burton, 6-3, 6-4; Miss Marjorie Dodd beat Mrs. Stanley Ramsey, 6-4, 5-7, 6-1; Miss Lulah Belden beat Miss Emily Wickersham, 6-2, 6-1.

Third Round: Miss Florence Sutton beat Miss Ruth Harper, 6-2, 6-0; Miss Ruth Cowing beat Miss Marian Hunt, 6-0, 6-3; Mrs. Vivian Harcourt beat Miss Mardi Hunt, 6-4, 4-6, 6-2; Miss Marjorie Dodd beat Miss Lulah Belden, 5-7, 6-0, 6-3.

Semi-final Round: Miss F. Sutton beat Miss Ruth Cowing, 6-1, 6-0; Miss M. Dodd beat Mrs. Vivian Harcourt, by default.

Final Round: Miss F. Sutton beat Miss M. Dodd, 6-0, 6-1.

Championship Round: Miss May Sutton beat Miss F. Sutton, 7-5, 6-2.

Ladies' Doubles.

The Finals in Ladies' Doubles was won by Miss May Sutton and Miss Marjorie Dodd defeating Miss Florence Sutton and Miss Lulah Belden, 6-3, 3-6, 6-3.

Mixed Doubles.

The Finals in Mixed Doubles was won by Miss May Sutton and A. C. Way defeating Miss Florence Sutton and Josiah Belden, 7-5, 6-2.

ILLINOIS.

The fourth annual tournament of the Aztec Tennis Club of Chicago for the State Championship of Illinois was held during the week of July 7 and brought out an unusually large entry list. The club's courts had been thoroughly gone over just prior to the event and a large addition to the clubhouse had been built, which together with the almost

ideal weather tended to make the tournament of last year the most successful in the history of the north-side club. The event was noteworthy principally on account of the work of the younger players of the city all of whom made enviable showings. Of these Heath Byford, who proved to be the tennis sensation of the western season, did the best work and by consistently good playing ran through the upper half with comparative ease meeting little opposition until the Semi-Final round was reached. His victory over Walter T. Hayes, the intercollegiate and middle-west Champion in the third round brought out his best quality of tennis and gave a good line on his improved form. In the Final round Byford met and defeated in straight sets Buell McKeever the veteran player of the Kenwood Club who had run through the lower half with little difficulty. Following this victory he challenged L. Harry Waidner for his title of Champion. This match showed conclusively just how great the improvement in Byford's play had been for he started in strongly and captured the first set rather easily to the surprise of everyone. In the second set Byford again led at 2-love but the superior steadiness and the greater experience of Waidner stood him well after that with the result that he pulled out the set 6-3 and followed by taking the next two sets and the match 6-1 and 6-4. This victory of Waidner's gave him permanent possession of the beautiful Challenge cup which he had won twice previously.

The Men's Doubles proved easy for Waidner and Peters who ran through the tournament with the loss of but one set. In the Final round they met McKeever and Beard and defeated them after a match replete with long rallies, 6-3, 3-6, 6-4, 6-4.

The Women's events were unusually interesting and the quality of tennis shown was the best ever seen on the Aztec courts. The surprise came with the work of Miss Miriam Steever who broke into "Championship class" for the first time after a series of brilliant victories. Miss Steever had by far the hardest draw of the tournament and was forced to meet nearly every player of class in the tournament in order to gain the Championship title. Her victories over Mrs. R. B. Neff in the Final round and Miss Edythe Parker in the Challenge round were big surprises to the "gallery" as it was figured Miss Steever was hardly experienced enough to defeat such well-known players. Miss Steever's dashing style of play proved too much, however, for her older opponents and she carried off the state title after the most brilliant work. The Women's Singles brought out some brilliant young women

players of whom much is expected. Of these Miss Mabel Lee, of the University of Chicago and the Misses McConnell and Hatch showed the most finished form and all they appear to lack is tournament experience. The Women's Doubles quickly narrowed down to a fight in the Finals between Misses Parker and Steever and Mrs. Barnes and Miss Lee which the former team won after two hard sets, 8-6, and 6-4.

Scores:

Men's Singles.

First Round: Wm. Wilkens beat A. Lyons, by default; F. W. Castle beat Howells Coffin, 2-6, 7-5, 6-4; Chas. N. Beard beat W. E. Norris, 6-2, 6-3; C R. Lynch beat L. A. Cook, 6-4, 2-6, 6-1; Allan Ross beat R. D. Kellogg, 6-4, 6-1; C. W. Green beat F. W. Carr, 10-8, 7-5; W. T. Hayes beat R. T. French, by default; Fred. Klaner, Jr., beat John Matz, 6-2, 6-1; L. D. Glanz beat W. B. Simmons, 6-0, 4-6, 6-1; H. G. Phillips beat E. M. Ashcroft, by default; L. W. Pierce, Jr., beat H. E. Allen, 6-3, 6-4; H. L. Byford beat P. H. Davenport, 6-3, 7-5; J. E. Brosseau beat Semp Russ, by default; Paul Gardner beat Jos. A. Lee, 6-3, 6-1; W. C. Clare beat W. S. Bell, 6-0, 6-4; Edw. S. Baumann beat Cornelius Lynde, 6-4, 6-3; L. C. Brosseau beat Cyrus Garnett, by default; Buell McKeever beat Frank S. Weadley, 6-0, 7-5; A. O. Lee beat H. P. Castle, 6-3, 6-2; L. F. Stern beat Carl Matz, 6-4, 6-2; L. B. Burford beat A. M. Vernon, 6-1, 4-6, 6-0; Malcolm McConnell beat W. G. Madsen, 6-4, 6-4; R. O. Miles beat Al. Williams, 4-6, 6-1, 6-0; Chas. S. Peters beat R. L. Loesch. by default; S. J. Donaldson beat G. H. Dunscombe, by default.

Second Round: W. E. Blatherwick beat Jewett E. Ricker, Jr., 6-3, 6-3, Wilkens beat Ernest I. Mitchell, 6-2, 6-0; Beard beat Castle Ross beat Lynch, 6-2, 6-3; Hayes beat Green, by default· Klaner beat Glanz, 5-7, 6-4, 6-2; Phillips beat Pierce, 6-3, 7-9, 6-2; Byford beat Brosseau, 6-1, 6 0; Gardner beat Clare, 6-1, 6-2; Baumann beat Brosseau, 6-1, 6-3; McKeever beat Lee, 6-2, 7-5; Burford beat Stern, 4-6, 6-2, 6-4; Miles beat McConnell, 6-4, 3-6, 6-4; Peters beat Donaldson 6-0, 6-0; Bingham beat Jos. Loesch, 6-0, 6-2; R. D. Wilbrenner beat Paul Brant, by default.

Third Round: Wilkens beat Blatherwick, 6-2, 1-6, 6-3; Ross beat Beard, 3-6, 6-1, 6-4; Hayes beat Klaner, 6-0, 6-4; Byford beat Phillips, 6-3, 6-1; Gardner beat Baumann, 6-1, 6-2; McKeever beat Burford, 11-9, 6-2; Miles beat Peters by default; Wilbrenner beat Bingham, 7-5, 6-1.

Semi-final Round: Ross beat Wilkens, 6-4, 6-4; Byford beat Hayes, 5-7, 7-5, 6-3; McKeever beat Gardner, 6-3, 3-6, 7-5; Wilbrenner beat Miles, 6-0, 6-3.

Final Round: Byford beat Ross, 6-2, 5-7, 6-0, 6-3; McKeever beat Wilbrenner, 4-6, 1-6, 6-1, 6-3, 6-3.

Challenge Round: Byford beat McKeever, 6-3, 6-4, 6-1; L. D. Waidner, holder, beat Byford, 4-6, 6-3, 6-1, 6-4.

Men's Doubles.

First Round: Waidner and Peters beat F. Wilkens and J. Loesch, 6-2, 6-0, 6-1; Vernon and Davenport beat Castle brothers, 6-4, 5-7. 6-4. 6-3; Carr and Lee beat Carr and Bingham, by default; Weadley and Baumann beat Schlesinger and Lyons, by default; McKeever and Beard beat Matz brothers, 6-2, 6-0, 8-6.

Second Round: Byford and Gardner beat McConnell and Lynde Hayes and Blatherwick beat Phillips and partner, by default; Waidner and Peters beat Wm. Wilkens and Pierce, 6-1, 6-0, 6-1; Vernon and Davenport beat Carr and Lee, by default; McKeever and Beard beat Weadley and Baumann, 6-2, 6-0, 8-6; Wilbrenner and Ricker beat Clare and Bergweld, 7-5, 8-6, 6-3; Burford and Kellogg beat Williams and Klaner, Russ and Cresson beat Ross and partner, by default.

Semi-final Round: Byford and Gardner beat Hayes and Blatherwick, 6-3, 4-6, 8-6, 7-5; Waidner and Peters beat Vernon and Davenport, 6-0, 6-4, 6-2; McKeever and Beard beat Wilbrenner and Ricker, 6-3, 7-5 6-4; Burford and Kellogg beat Russ and Cresson, by default.

Final Round: Waidner and Peters beat Byford and Gardner, 6-4, 6-1, 6-2; McKeever and Beard beat Burford and Kellogg. 6-0, 6-4, 5-7, 8-6.

Challenge Round: Waidner and Peters beat McKeever and Beard, 6-3, 3-6, 6-4, 6-4.

Women's Singles.

First Round: Miss Catherine McConnell beat Miss Dorothy Winslow, by default; Miss H. Hatch beat Miss Helen A. Young, 6-2, by default; Miss Caroma Winn beat Miss Natalie Newell, by default; Mrs. W. G. Neff beat Miss Jean Whiting, 6-0, 6-2; Mrs. G. Edgar Barnes beat Miss Mildred Chamberlin, 6-1, 6-1; Miss Ella Wilkens beat Miss Ruth Young, by default; Miss Miriam Steever beat Miss Louise Philipps, 6-1, 6-3; Miss Mabel Lee beat Miss Hilda T. Krekel, by default.

Second Round: Miss McConnell beat Miss H. Hatch, 6-4, 12-10; Mrs. Neff beat Miss Winn, 6-0, 6-1; Mrs. Barnes beat Miss Wilkens, 6-0, 6-2; Miss Steever beat Miss Lee, 6-2, 6-2.

Semi-final Round: Mrs. Neff beat Miss McConnell, 6-0, 6-1; Miss Steever beat Mrs. Barnes, 6-2, 4-6, 6-1.

Final Round: Miss Steever beat Mrs. Neff, 1-6, 6-2, 6-4.

Challenge Round: Miss Steever beat Miss Edythe Parker, champion 1905, 7-5, 6-4.

Women's Doubles.

Final Round: Won by Misses Parker and Steever defeating Misses Barnes and Lee, 8-6, 6-4.

Mixed Doubles.

Final Round: Won by Miss Steever and Dr. Lee defeating Miss and Mr. Philips, 6-3, 6-2.

OHIO.

The annual Ohio State Lawn Tennis Tournament, open to all comers, was held on July 23 and succeeding days, on the grounds of the East End Tennis Club of Cleveland.

The winner of the tournament in Singles was Mr. G. L. Wyeth of New York, who also won the State Championship from Warren McLaughlin.

Messrs Wyeth and H. F. Pettee were the tournament winners in Doubles and defeated Warren McLaughlin and Thomas McLaughlin for the Doubles Championship.

Suitable prizes and trophies were given the winners of the tournament, Consolations and Championship matches.

The tournament was marked by close matches and an unusual amount of enthusiasm was manifested; a large gallery being present from the beginning.

The visiting players were entertained at the Hermit, Country, Euclid and University Clubs.

Scores:

G. L. WYETH,
Ohio State Champion.

Singles.

First Round: S. T. Nash beat I. R. Wade, 6-1, 6-1; E. M. Hunt beat Alinan, 6-2, 6-0; G. L. Wyeth beat J. C. Royon, 6-2, 6-1; F. P. Garrison beat J. G. Fogg, 6-2, 6-2; F. Tidden beat W. H. Prescott, 6-2, 6-4; G. H. Greenhalgh beat H. Pope, 6-0, 12-10; F. H. Baxter beat S. L. Jennings, 6-3, 6-3; T. P. Goodbody beat M. H. Laundon, 6-1, 6-3; R. C. Murphy beat C. R. Foote, 6-2, 9-7; H. F. Pettee beat R. Cone, 6-2, 6-2; A. F. Reed beat H. C. Wick, 6-3, 8-6; C. Blossom beat A. H. Bill, 6-1, 6-0; S. W. Hubbard beat O. W. Prescott, 6-2, 2-6, 7-5; H. Strong, C. Apthorp and R. Silver defaulted to H. C. Osborn, J. S. Eaton and S. Cabell, respectively.

Second Round: Nash beat Osborne, 6-3, 6-4; Goodbody beat Hunt, 6-2, 7-5; Garrison beat Cabell, 6-3, 2-6, 6-3; Greenhalgh beat Reed, 4-6, 8-6, 6-1; Wyeth beat Murphy, 3-6, 6-1, 6-2; Tidden beat Pettee, 6-8, 7-5, 7-5; Blossom beat Baxter, 7-5, 7-5.

Third Round: Nash beat Hubbard, 6-4, 6-4; Garrison beat Tidden, 6-1, 6-1; Wyeth beat Goodbody, 6-2, 6-3; Greenhalgh beat Blossom, 8-6, 6-4.

Semi-final Round: Wyeth beat Nash, 6-4, 7-5; Garrison beat Greenhalgh, 6-1, 4-6, 6-4.

Final Round: Wyeth beat Garrison, 6-2, 6-4, 6-2.

Championship Singles.

G. L. Wyeth beat Warren McLaughlin, 6-2, 6-2, 6-1.

Doubles.

First Round: Royon and Hubbard beat Nash and Osborn, 6-4, 6-1, 6-3; Read and Murphy beat James and Tidden, 6-3, 3-6, 7-5, 6-2; Wyeth and Pettee beat Garrison and Baxter, 8-6, 6-1, 6-0.

Second Round: Goodbody and Greenhalgh beat Sherwin and Sanders, 6-3, 2-6, 6-2; Read and Murphy beat Royon and Hubbard, 6-0, 3-6, 6-4, 6-2; Prescott and Prescott beat Welch and Chamberlain, 4-6, 6-3, 6-3, 6-2; Bill and Apthorp defaulted to Wyeth and Pettee.

Semi-final Round: Goodbody and Greenhalgh beat Read and Murphy, 0-6, 6-2, 16-14, 6-4; Wyeth and Pettee beat Prescott and Prescott, 6-4, 6-3, 6-2.

Final Round: Wyeth and Pettee beat Goodbody and Greenhalgh, 6-2, 6-4, 9-7.

Championship Doubles.

Wyeth and Pettee beat McLaughlin brothers, 6-2, 8-6, 7-9, 6-3.

MISSOURI.

The annual tournament for the tennis Championship of the State of Missouri was held on the courts of the St. Louis A. A. Assn. in St. Louis the week of July 4, 1906. There was more interest taken in the tournament this year than ever before, entries being received from all over the state. Among these were Mr. Vernon and Messrs James and Jones of Kansas City, Mo., who were title holders respectively in Singles and Doubles of the Championship of the Missouri Valley. The managers of the club had made complete arrangements for the comfort of the visitors and a luncheon was served to the visitors without charge every day. As the club had sixteen fine clay courts it was impossible to play off the tournament in record time. The club managers were given many compliments for the excellence of the arrangements. In the Singles Mr. Vernon met and defeated all of the best players and easily won the Final match from Mr. James, of Kansas City. The Challenge round was a hard battle but the fifth set was won by Mr. Ralph McKittrick the title holder in 6-2. In the Doubles there was a complete surprise in the magnificent playing of Byron Anderson and W. C. Connett of the St. Louis A. A. Assn, who made a clean sweep of all their opponents, defeating Messrs James and Jones in five hard sets and also meeting and defeating the strongest teams entered and finally winning from the title holders, Messrs Ralph McKittrick and Jos. Wear, by defeating them three out of five sets.

IOWA.

The Iowa State tennis tournament for the year 1906 was played on the new courts of the Hyperion Club in Des Moines, which in spite of their recent construction proved so satisfactory that the tournament is to be permanently located in Des Moines and upon these courts.

They are upon high hills, west of the city and so situated that after two thorough soakings, late in the afternoon, on two afternoons of the tournament, they were ready for play at nine o'clock next morning.

The feature of the weeks play was that of Fred bradley, a little fourteen year-old player of Des Moines. He kept in the play all the time until he found semi-finalists, and gives promise of being one of the greatest players the state ever had.

Hayes, the western college Champion proved his superiority over the rest of the players of the state, by defeating W. S. Gillman easily in the Challenge Singles and playing a great game through the Doubles, where he and Alex. Blatherwick were the winners.

Scores:

Singles.

First Round: J. C. Greene beat C. H. Criley, 6-0, 6-2; M. A. Royal beat E. W. Hamilton, 6-2, 6-4; J. W. Bradley beat O. Strauss, 6-1. 6-0; C. J. Sweet won from Russell Cowles, by default; R. H. Finkbine and T. E. Posten both defaulted; C. H. Cotton beat Carl Proper, 6-2, 6-1; A. C. Smith won over Frank Kauffman, by default; E. L. Watrous won over Hazlett Clarke, by default; H. Hanson beat J. C. Hume, 6-3, 6-2; Alex. Blatherwick beat B. E. Butler, 6-0, 6-0; C. W. Pitts won over Harry Zinsmaster, by default; Geo. McCaughn won over C. B. Cox, by default; H. D. Trade won over Walter St. John, by default; W. B. Blatherwick beat A. J. Becker, 6-0, 6-0; W. Williams beat C. M. Stewart, 6-3, 6-4; C. J. Greene beat E. C. Platt, 1-6, 9-7, 6-4; A. C. Smith beat G. H. Cotton, 6-1, 6-4; O. J. Sweet won by default; H. Harwood won over Geo. K. Scott, by default; Harry Belden beat Lafe Young, Jr., 6-2, 6-4; W. S. Gilman beat James D. Ferryhill, Jr., 6 2, 6-0; Coggeswell beat A. G. Maish, 6-3, 6-3; Watrous beat Hansom 1-6, 6-3, 6-4; Frynde defaulted to Lindberg.

Second Round: W. E. Blatherwick beat Walter St. John, 6-1, 6-2; W. S. Gilman beat A. C. Lindberg, 6-1, 6-1; C. W. Pitts beat George McCaughn, 6-1, 6-2; Greene beat Williams, 6-2, 6-0; Sweet beat Bradley, 6-0, 6-0; A. C. Smith beat Watrous, 6-4, 6-1; A. Blatherwick beat Coggeswell, 6-4, 6-4; Harwood beat Belden, 0-6, 6-4, 8-6; W. S. Gilman beat A. C. Lindberg, 6-1, 6-1.

Third Round: W. E. Blatherwick beat Pitts, 6-3, 6-2; Gilman beat Harwood, 6-1, 6-0; Sweet beat Green, 6-1, 6-3; A. C. Smith beat A. Blatherwick, 6-4, 8-6.

Semi-final Round: W. E. Blatherwick beat Sweet, 6-3, 3-6, 6-2; Gilman beat A. C. Smith, 6-2, 1-6, 7-5.

Final Round: Blatherwick beat Gilman, 5-7, 2-6, 6-4, 6-4, 6-4; Hayes beat Blatherwick in the Challenge Singles, 5-7, 2-6, 6-4, 6-4, 6-4.

Doubles.

Preliminary Round: Belden and Blatherwick beat Sweet and Becker, 6-1, 6-3; Maish and St. John beat Lindberg and Cotton, 6-4, 1-6, 6-1.

First Round: Gilman and McNeil won from Strauss and Hamilton, by default; Baron and Van Vliet won from Zinsmaster and Berryhill, 6-3, 6-4; Butler and Tade won from Baker and Marsh, by default; Smith and Platt beat Watrous and Royal, 7-5, 6-3; Hayes and Blatherwick beat Bradley and Hume, 6-0, 6-2.

Second Round: Gilman and McNeil beat Baron and Van Vliet, 6-2, 6-1; Coggeswell and Pitts beat Butler and Tade, by default; Belden and Blatherwick beat Criley and Burnham, 6-1, 6-1; Hayes and Blatherwick beat Smith and Platt, 6-4, 6-0.

Semi-final Round: Gilman and McNeil beat Coggeswell and Pitts, 6-2, 6-2; Hayes and Blatherwick beat Belden and Blatherwick, 6-1, 6-1.

In the Finals Hayes and Blatherwick won, 6-3, 7-5, 8-6.

MONTANA.

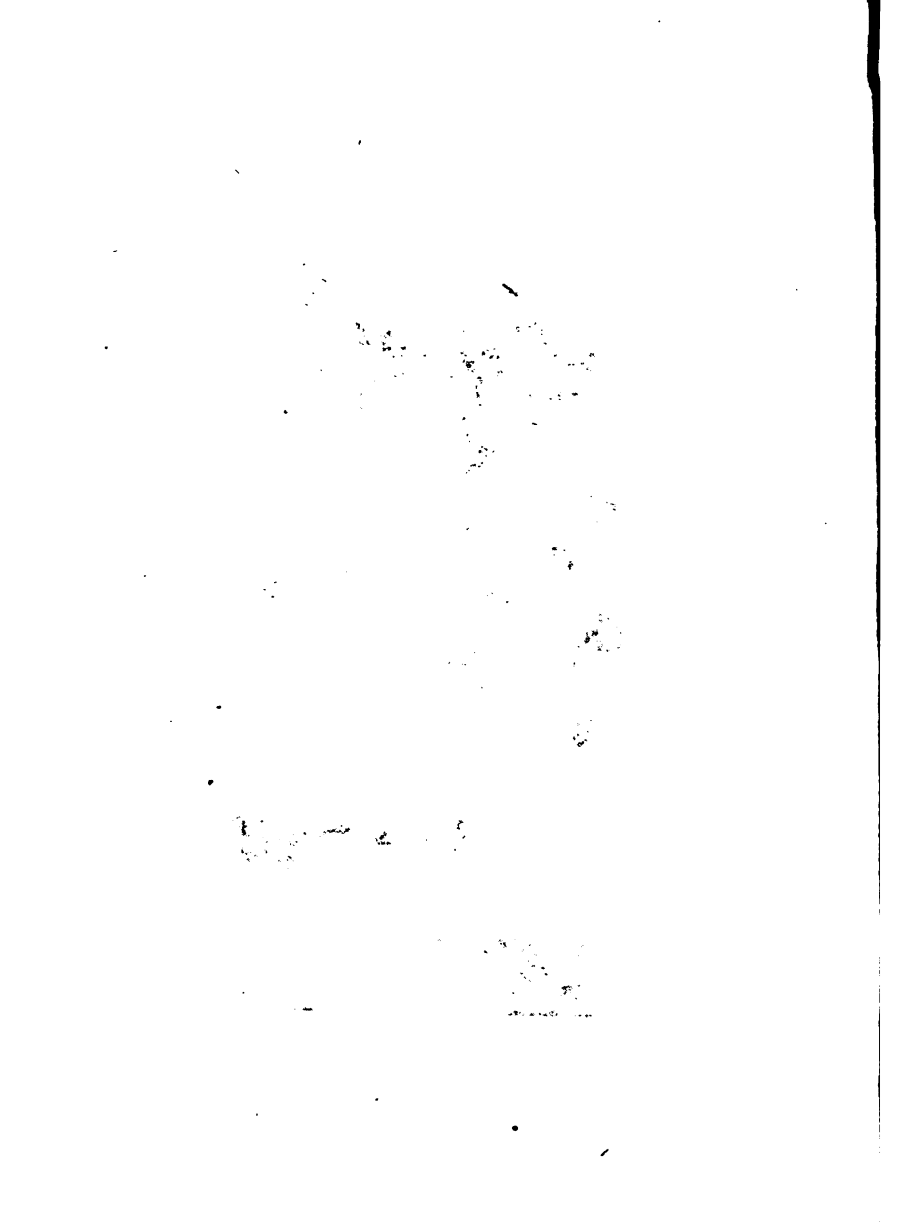
For the first time in the history of the game in this state, the weather seriously interfered with the progress of the tournament which was held in Anaconda beginning August 21 and made it necessary to carry it over into the following week. Not passing showers, but a steady downpour, lasting three days, played havoc with the courts which had been put in such fine shape in anticipation of the meet.

With no cessation of the rain in sight, it was proposed that some of the matches be played off in Butte, thirty miles away, so the whole aggregation would depart for that city, play a few games in the cold and return to Anaconda that evening where some social event had been arranged.

The hospitality of the Anaconda Club and the famous Montana Hotel made the time pass most enjoyably despite the elements.

FRED A. AGER AND HARRY M. WOOD, Double Champions. HARRY BURTON, Runner Up. D. D. MCLAUGHLIN, Single Champion.

MONTANA CHAMPIONS.



A reception, a smoker, a trip through the Washoe smelter and the tennis ball given in the spacious hotel dining room were the features of the week.

When the sun did come out and play resumed, the events were quickly disposed of under the efficient management of Mr. Hunter, and others in charge.

To those who think that there is an age limit to tennis, it may be of interest to note that the palm this year went to a man over fifty years old whose constant, careful practice brought him the reward he richly deserved.

Matteson worked hard to retain possession of the beautiful Association Cup but the placing and skillful lobbying and driving of McLaughlin was too much for him and he secured only one set in the match.

Much regret was expressed when Agar was called home and could not complete in the Singles. He returned, however, to play in the Doubles, he and Wood defending the Championship successfully by winning in three straight sets from McLaughlin and Burton. Wood's accurate net work and Agar's generalship at the base line make them quite a formidable team.

Tipton won the Consolations.

Scores:

Singles.

First Round: McLaughlin (Butte) beat Thompson (Butte), 6-0, 6-1; Jenny (Anaconda) beat Burrell (Stockett), by default; Karsted (Butte) beat Longley (Butte), by default; McLeod (Butte) beat Bushnell (Butte), 2-6, 6-3, 6-3; Railey (Anaconda) beat Eldridge (Anaconda), by default; Wood (Great Falls) beat Tipton (Kendall), 7-9, 6-4, 9-7; Agar (Great Falls) beat J. Kunkel (Anaconda), by default; Burton (Anaconda) beat Mason (Great Falls), 6-0, 6-0; Matthews (Butte) beat Dick (Butte), by default; Hunter (Anaconda) beat Speed (Butte), 7-5, 7-5; E. Kunkel (Anaconda) beat Leggatt (Butte), by default; West (Anaconda) beat Fulmor (Anaconda), by default; Parker (Levingston) beat Merrill (Anaconda), 6-0, 6-0; Miles (Livingston) beat Currie (Anaconda), 6-1, 6-0; Mosher (Butte) beat Gaines (Helena), 10-8, 6-1.

Second Round: McLaughlin beat Jenney, by default; Karsted beat McLeod, 6-3, 6-4; Railey beat Wood, 6-8, 6-4, 6-3; Burton beat Matthews, 6-4, 6-1; Hunter beat Kunkel, by default; Parker beat West, 6-2, 6-0; Mosher beat Miles, 6-4, 7-5.

Third Round: McLaughlin beat Karsted, 6-4, 6-2; Railey beat Agar, by default; Burton beat Hunter, 6-4, 6-3; Mosher beat Parker, 7-5, 6-4.

Semi-final Round: McLaughlin beat Railey, 6-1, 6-1; Burton beat Mosher, 6-2, 1-6, 6-0, 6-3.

Final Round: McLaughlin beat Burton, 6-4, 6-1.

Championship Round: D. D. McLaughlin, challenger, beat Roy G. Matteson, holder, 6-0, 3-6, 7-5, 6-3.

Doubles.

First Round: Bushnell and McLeod beat Berry and Jenny, by default; Rogers and Longley beat Ware and Thompson, by default; West and Hobbs beat Mason and Burrell, by default; Railey and Hunter beat Karsted and Matthews, 6-4, 6-1; McLaughlin and Burton beat Tipton and Gaines, 6-0, 6-0; Mosher and Speed beat Miles and Parker, 7-5, 6-2.

Second Round: Bushnell and McLeod beat Rogers and Longley, 6-3, 6-3; Railey and Hunter, McLaughlin and Burton and Mosher and Speed won by default.

Third Round: Railey and Hunter beat Bushnell and McLeod, 6-4, 4-6, 4-6, 6-2, 6-4; McLaughlin and Burton beat Mosher and Speed, 6-2, 7-5.

Final Round: McLaughlin and Burton beat Railey and Hunter, 6-2, 5-7, 4-6, 6-3, 6-2.

Championship Round: Agar and Wood, holders, beat McLaughlin and Burton, challengers, 6-3, 6-2, 6-4.

At a business meeting held in the parlors of the Anaconda Club. officers for the ensuing year were elected as follows: President, Swift D. Hunter, Anaconda; vice-president, Harry M. Wood, Great Falls; secretary and treasurer, Floyd Bushnell, Butte; Committee on Entries: D. D. McLaughlin, Butte; R. F. Gaines, Helena; H. M. Wood, Great Falls.

The next tournament will be held in Butte, beginning August 20, 1907 and is open to all.

MINNESOTA.

The fourth annual tennis tournament for the Championship of the State of Minnesota, was held during the second week in August, under the auspices of the Town and Country Club, at St. Paul.

Although the entry list was much larger than ever before it cannot be said that the play was of a higher standard.

J. H. Wheeler, W. G. Graves, E. Rees, L. H. Northrop, T. N. Jayne, G. K. Belden and H. I. Belden were the strongest candidates in the Singles tournament, the matches between these men being close and at all times interesting.

H. I. Belden won his way to the Finals after two closely contested matches with Jayne and Rees, and there met G. K. Belden who had defeated Northrop and Archer. The Final match was won easily by H. I. Belden. Score, 6-4, 6-4, 6-0.

In the Championship round H. I. Belden, Challenger, defeated W. C. Burton, holder, after a five-set match, which as a contest was admirable, but as an exhibition of high-grade tennis was not such as might be expected of players of this class. Belden's net play during the last set was, however, extremely well executed, and his victory was deserved. Score, 6-2, 2-6, 3-6, 6-4, 6-2.

The Doubles tournament resulted in the unexpected victory of Burton and Northrop, who, after defeating Jayne and Payne in the Semi-Finals, won from the hitherto unbeaten Belden brothers, after an exceedingly closely contested match. Score, 6-3, 1-6, 7-5, 6-3.

Preliminary Round: J. W. Wheeler beat J. H. Jones, by default; W. G. Graves beat G. C. Beckwith, 6-2, 6-3; S. N. Kinyon beat C. S. Gerlach, 6-1, 6-3; M. H. Strothman beat Robt. Storms, 5-6, 6-2, 6-5; H. C. Belden beat A. E. Rhame, 6-1, 6-0; J. Thompson beat C. S. Bixby, 4-6, 6-2, 6-3; T. N. Jayne beat W. R. Chaney, 6-0, 6-0; L. W. Day beat O. Auerbach, by default; T. K. Thompson beat E. Moulton, by default; W. Thayer beat H. F. Abernethy, by default; L. H. Northrop beat C. S. Thompson, 6-2, 6-0; A. C. Eddy beat R. Greer, 4-6, 6-4, 6-4; F. Payne beat R. C. Lilly, 2-6, 6-3, 6-3; C. W. Halbert beat W. Rhodes, Jr., by default; F. D. Lightner beat J. J. Rogers, 1-6, 6-3, 6-4; C. Betcher beat W. C. Lightner, 6-4, 6-4; M. Stratton beat R McGuckin, 6-0, 6-2; G. K. Belden beat G. H. Labatt, 6-1, 6-2.

First Round: R. Baird beat A. J. Hill, 6-0, 6-0; T. F. Wallace beat R. G. Collins, 6-4, 4-6 6-4; E. Rees beat S. M. Stellwagon, 6-1, 6-0; Wheeler beat Graves, 6-4, 6-4; Strothman beat Kinyon, 6-2, 6-4; H. C. Belden beat Thompson, 6-4, 6-2; Jayne beat Ray, 6-2, 6-1; T. K. Thompson beat Thayer, 6-3, 6-3; Northrop beat Eddy, 6-2, 6-3; Halbert beat Payne, 6-0, 6-4; Betcher beat Lightner, 6-4, 6-1; G. K.

Belden beat Stratton, 6 4, 6-4; W. S. Lafans beat M. M. Ghent, 6-4 6-3; G. N. Northrop beat Phoeler, 6-3, 6-4; S. M. Archer beat G. Routh, 6-1, 6-1; E. N. McGrew beat L. N. Sickles, 6-0, 4-6, 6-0.

Second Round: Baird beat Wallace, 4-6, 6-5, 6-3; Reese beat Wheeler, 6 0, 3-6, 6-4; H. I. Belden beat Strothman, 6-2, 6-4; Jayne beat Thompson 6-2, 6-3; L. H. Northrop beat Halbert, 6-3, 6-4; G. K. Belden beat Betcher, 6-0, 6-4; Lafans beat G. N. Northrop, 6-1, 6-3; Archer beat McGrew, 6-4, 6-3.

Third Round: Reese beat Baird, 4-6, 6-4, 6-3; H. I. Belden beat Jayne, 6-0, 2-6, 6-3; G. K. Belden beat L. H. Northrop, 6-1, 6-5; Archer beat Lafans, 6-2, 6-4

Semi-final Round: H. I. Belden beat Reese, 6-2, 6-1, 5-7, 4-6, 6-1; G. K. Belden beat Archer, 6-3, 6-1, 6-1.

Final Round: H. I. Belden beat G. K. Belden, 6-4, 6-4, 6-0.

Challenge Round: H. I. Belden (challenger) beat Hard C. Burton (holder), 6-1, 2-6, 3-6, 6-4, 6-2.

Doubles.

Preliminary Round: Jayne and Payne beat Eddy and Stratton, 6-2, 6-1; Greer and Thompson beat Gerlach and Stellwagon, 6-3, 6-2.

First Round: Lanpher and Kingston beat Stern and Archer, 6-4, 6-4; Burton and Northrop beat Betcher and Rhame, 6-0, 6-3; Reese and Lanpher beat Finch and Lightner, 6-0, 6-1; Jayne and Payne beat Beckwith and Thayer, by default; Greer and T. K. Thompson beat Lilly and Leonard, 6-2, 6-1; Halbert and Graves beat J. T. Thompson and Routh, 6-0, 6-2; Baird and Lafans beat Sickles and McGrew, 6-4, 4-6, 6-0; Belden and Belden beat Collins and Chaney, 6-4, 6-2.

Second Round: Burton and Northrop beat Lanpher and Kingston, 6-3, 6-3; Jayne and Payne beat Reese and R. A. Lanpher, 6-5, 6-3; Greer and Thompson beat Halbert and Graves, 6-1, 4-6, 6-4; Belden and Belden beat Baird and Lafans, 6-0, 6-0.

Semi-final Round: Burton and Northrop beat Jayne and Payne, 6-4, 7-5, 6-4; Belden and Belden beat Greer and Thompson, 6-1, 5-7, 6-1, 6-4.

Final Round: Burton and Northrop beat Belden and Belden, 6-3, 1-6, 7-5, 6-3.

OREGON.

Tennis in Oregon during the season of 1906 was almost entirely dependent on home talent.

This was not altogether undesirable to the many players who were glad during the tournament week to test their strength in tournament play amongst themselves since in past years the Championship has in nearly every case been carried to foreign parts.

The Men's Singles went to Walter A. Goss who wins it for the second time. Goss went through the tournament without losing a set except in the Final match which was against D. S. Bellinger and this went the five. Wickersham was supposed to be the one who would make the strongest bid against Goss but in the Semi-Final round he was well beaten in a lightning match. Goss has never been beaten in tournament play by a Portlander and his experience and carefulness have won for him many matches. Busch, the Champion for 1905, did not defend hence the Oregon State Championship and the Fisk Challenge cup were kept in Portland for the second time in its history.

In the Final match Bellinger played the game of his life. His drives into the back of the court were superb and he seemed to hit the back line at will. The score was, 1-6, 6-4, 6-3, 1-6, 6-4.

The Men's Doubles went to Wickersham and Bellinger together with the J. Weseley-Ladd cups.

The Challenge round was between Goss and Lewis and Wickersham and Bellinger. The score was never in doubt and the Champions played with a snap and fight that continually put the former Champions on the defensive.

Miss Amy L. Heitshu won the Ladies' Championship and the Goss and Lewis cup. Miss Heitshu is in a class by herself in Oregon, her service is most difficult and her drives very hard and fast.

The Mixed Doubles went to Mr. Wickersham and Miss Robertson and the Ladies' Doubles to Miss Josephi and Miss Heitshu.

Scores:

Men's Singles.

Preliminary Round: F. H. V. Andrews beat R. A. Sawyer, 6-3, 6-1; F. A. Agar beat C. H. Leadbetter, 6-1, 6-1; R. R. Benham beat Jas. Shives, 6-1, 3-6, 6-4; E. E. Veness beat F. Wilder, 6-2, 6-0; B. H.

Wickersham beat L. B. Wickersham, 6-2, 6-1; J. K. Turner beat A. B. McAlpin, 6-4, 6-4; W. A. Goss beat J. H. Knight, 6-2, 6-1; E. B. Webb beat Joe Tyler, by default; R. A. Leiter beat H. E. Plummer, 6-2, 6-2; D. Bellinger beat V. W. Anderson, 6-0, 6-4; W. Rosenfeld beat W. S. Dole, 7-5, 6-0; K. L. Fenton beat J. W. Ladd, 6-3, 6-0; R. Wilder beat W. Cook, by default.

First Round: Andrews beat W. H. R. Finck, 6-1, 6-1; Agar beat Benham, 6-3, 6-3; Wickersham beat Veness, 6-1, 6-1; Goss beat Turner, 7-5, 6-0; Leiter beat Webb, 6-3, 6-1; Bellinger beat Rosenfeld, 6-3, 6-4; Fenton beat R. Wilder, 6-2, 2-6, 6-2; I. Rohr beat R. Nunn, 6-0, 6-4.

Second Round: Agar beat Andrews, 6-1, 6-2; Goss beat Wickersham, 6-3, 6-4; Bellinger beat Leiter, 6-0, 6-2; Fenton beat Rohr, 6-0, 6-2.

Semi-Final Round: Goss beat Agar, 6-1, 6-3, 4-6, 6-2; Bellinger beat Fenton, 6-2, 6-3, 6-1.

Final Round: Goss beat Bellinger, 1-6, 6-4, 6-3, 1-6, 6-4.

Challenge Round: Goss beat S. H. Busch, by default.

Men's Doubles.

Preliminary Round: I. Rohr and R. R. Benham beat J. K. Turner and Lloyd Wickersham, 8-6, 2-6, 6-3; W. A. Goss and Carl Lewis beat F. H. Andrews and R. Wilder, 6-3, 6-2; W. S. Dole and V. W. Anderson beat H. E. Plummer and R. A. Sawyer, by default.

First Round: E. B. Webb and P. B. Gifford beat J. H. Knight and R. Nunn, 6-0, 6-2; Goss and Lewis beat Rohr and Benham, 6-3, 4-6, 6-1; A. B. McAlpin and F. A. Agar beat Dole and Anderson, 6-3, 6-2; Jas. Shives and F. E. Veness beat W. Cook and W. Rosenfeld, 6-2, 3-6, 6-4.

Semi-final Round: Goss and Lewis beat Webb and Gifford, 6-0, 6-1, 6-1; McAlpin and Agar beat Shives and Veness, 6-3, 3-6, 6-4.

Final Round: Goss and Lewis beat McAlpin and Agar, 6-2, 6-4, 6-2.

Challenge Round: Bellinger and Wickersham beat Goss and Lewis, 6-3, 6-2, 6-2.

Ladies' Singles.

Preliminary Round: Miss Rachel Josephi beat Mrs. E. A. Baldwin, by default; Miss Leslie Weidler beat Miss Tessie Leadbetter, 6-3, 6-2.

First Round: Miss Madelene Smith beat Miss Stella Frohman, 6-2, 6-0; Miss H. E. Booth beat Miss Rachel Josephi, 6-4, 7-5; Miss Weidler beat Miss Elsie Koehler, 4-6, 6-4, 6-1; Miss Nan Robertson beat Mrs. H. E. Judge, 6-1, 6-1.

Semi-final Round: Miss Booth beat Miss Smith, 6-3, 6-2; Miss Robertson beat Miss Weidler, 6-4, 8-6.

Final Round: Miss Robertson beat Miss Booth, 6-3, 6-4.

Challenge Round: Miss Heitshu beat Miss Robertson, 8-6, 6-0.

Ladies' and Gentlemen's Doubles.

Final Round: Miss Robertson and B. H. Wickersham beat Miss Leslie Weidler and W. A. Goss, 7-5, 6-3.

Ladies' Doubles.

Final Round: Miss A. Heitshu and Miss R. Josephi beat Miss L. Weidler and Miss D. Morrison, 6-3, 6-1.

Portland has at last launched a first-class tennis club, and the stimulus given to the game by the new organization is felt in every quarter.

The courts are located in Irvington and the building and grounds are the most attractive and commodious on the Coast.

In the future the Oregon State Championship will doubtless be played alternately between the Irvington Tennis Club and the Multnomah Amateur Athletic Club.

Portland sent a strong delegation to Tacoma where the tournament of the North Pacific International Lawn Tennis Association, was held and it is doubtful if tennis enthusiasm is at higher pitch or if better players exist anywhere on the Coast.

NORTH DAKOTA.

The fifth annual tournament of the North Dakota State Tennis Association was held at Grand Forks, during the week which began on Aug. 6. There were ten events. The total number of entries was 210.

This tournament was interesting not only for the large entry list but also for the new events started this year and the Challenge cups offered: (1) The Red River Valley Championship, Men's Singles,

$500 trophy; (2) Women's Singles, (3) Women's Doubles and (4) Mixed Doubles for valuable sterling silver trophies. Besides there were also added The Championship of the Red River Valley, Men's Doubles, Men's Singles and Novice Event. The weather was perfect. Seven of the events were finished in four days. The Finals in the State Singles and Handicap Doubles were played on Saturday morning. The rapidity with which so many matches were finished was unusual. The visitors were entertained every evening by numerous social events.

Eight men from Winnipeg entered. Among them was D. Davy, one time Champion of Yorkshire, England, and Champion of Manitoba, 1905 Mr. Summerville who reached the Finals in the open Singles had won the Championship of Manitoba some years ago. Mr. R. D. Love who won the Championship of Brandon, Man., last year and this year also played an exciting game with T. N. Jayne. In the second set Love lead 5-4 and 40 love. T. N. Jayne made a wonderful brace and won the game making the scores five-all. He finally managed to win out in a heart-breaking finish, 11-9.

Scores:

Men's Singles.

First Round: Leistikow beat Whitcomb, 6-2, 6-1; Wilson beat Master, 4-6, 6-0, 6-3; Ogren beat Campbell, 6-4, 6-4; Thyng beat Alex. Budge, 6-2, 7-5; Lamb beat J Elton, 6-1, 6-3; Collison beat Balfour, by default; DuVall beat Devitt, 6-1, 6-2; Bates beat Johnson, 6-3, 6-0; Sunberg beat Brown, 6-1, 3-6, 6-3; Muir beat Bergman, 6-3, 6-0; Jackson beat Hutsinpiller, 6-2, 6-2; King beat A. N. Other, by default; T Elton beat Elsworth, 6-1, 6-3; G. Elton beat Mulligan, 6-2, 6-2.

Second Round: Leistikow beat A. P. Clifford, by default; Wilson beat Ogren, by default; Thyng beat Lamb, 4-6, 6-4, 6-1; Collison beat DuVall, 6-1, 6-1; Bates beat Sunberg, 6-2, 6-0; Muir beat Jackson, 6-0, 6-1; Elton beat King, 7-5, 6-1; Thomas beat Elton, 6-3, 6-1.

Third Round: Leistikow beat Wilson, 6-2, 4-6, 6-2; Collison beat Thyng, 7-5, 3-6, 6-4; Bates beat Muir, 3-6, 8-6, 8-6; Elton beat Thomas, 6-1, 6-1.

Semi-final Round: Leistikow beat Collison, 6-0, 6-2; Bates beat Elton, 6-1, 7-5.

Final Round: Leistikow beat Bates, 7-5, 6-1, 7-5.

Championship Round: T. N. Jayne beat Leistikow, by default.

Doubles.

First Round: Wilson and Muir beat Lamb and Collison, 6-0, 1-6, 6-1; Bates and Leistikow beat Thyng and Sunberg, 6-3, 6-2; Elton brothers beat King and Thomas, 6-2, 5-7, 6-2; Elsworth and Master beat Raymond and DuVall, 6-3, 6-0; Elton and Brown beat Devitt and Mulligan, 6-1, 6-1.

Second Round: Muir and Wilson beat Clifford and Ogren, by default; Bates and Leistikow beat Whitcomb and Jackson, by default; Elton brothers beat Elsworth and Master, 6-3, 6-4; Elton and Brown beat Bergman and Thordarson, 6-3, 7-5.

Semi-final Round: Bates and Leistikow beat Muir and Wilson, 6-2, 6-1; Elton brothers beat Elton and Brown, 6-3, 7-5.

Final Round: Bates and Leistikow beat Elton brothers, 3-6, 4-6, 8-6, 6-4, 6-1.

Women's Singles.

First Round: Miss B. Stevenson beat Miss B. Mallory, 6-1, 6-0; Miss Nellie Hanson beat Miss E. Abbott, 6-4, 6-1; Mrs. B. Lamb beat Miss May Stevenson, 6-1, 6-2; Mrs. J. A. Montgomery beat Temple Irwin, 6-0, 6-0.

Second Round: Miss Hanson beat Miss Stevenson, 5-7, 6-4, 13-11; Mrs. Montgomery beat Mrs. Lamb, 6-2, 6-1.

Final Round: Mrs. Montgomery beat Miss Hanson, 6-3, 7-5.

Doubles.

First Round: Stevenson sisters beat Miss Abbott and Temple Irwin, 6-0 6-2.

Final Round: Stevenson sisters beat Mrs. J. A. Montgomery and Mrs. B. Lamb, by default.

Mixed Doubles.

Final Round: Miss Stevenson and Mr. Sedgley beat Mrs. Montgomery and Dr. Wilcox, 3-6, 6-3, 6-4.

Men's Handicap Singles.

Ellsworth beat Hamber, 6-4, 6-1.

Men's Handicap Doubles.

Lamb and Collison beat Whitcomb and Jackson, 4-6, 4-6, 6-4, 6-4, 6-4.

Novice Event.

Brown beat Thordarson, 6-0, 6-3.

Singles.

Final Round: Jayne beat Summerville, 6-1, 6-0, 6-2.

Doubles.

Final Round: Love and Smith beat Wilcox and Sedgley, 7-5, 6-1 6-3

SOUTH DAKOTA.

The fourth annual tournament of the South Dakota Lawn Tennis Association was held under the management of the Sioux Falls Lawn Tennis Association at their courts in Sioux Falls on July 16-21, 1906. The attendance was very gratifying and the improvement in play over that of former years was quite noticeable, particularly in the Doubles contests, which furnished the best tennis of the tournament and which were uniformly hard fought, the result being in doubt till the finish Several of the new players showed up well and promise to make the tournament of 1907 more than interesting for the older heads. In the Singles, Teigen defeated Keith in five hard fought sets for tournament honors but was unable to wrest the Championship from the holder, Mr. Wheeler, who won easily, 6-1, 6-0, 6-2.

In the Doubles Barton and Dix defeated Keith and Teigen in four sets of Tournament honors, but were unable to overcome the State Champions, Phillips and Dow, who won in five sets, 4-6, 6-3, 6-4, 0-6, 7-5: Dow's cool, steady work turning the tide against the more brilliant but erratic work of the younger team.

Singles.

Preliminary Round: Mathews beat Reynolds, 8-6, 6-4; Dow beat Phillips, 6-2. 2-6, 6-3; Barton beat Burnett, 6-1, 6-1; Branson beat Douthit, 6-1, 6-0; Hoffman beat Donahue 6-0, 6-3; Enright beat Holbrook, 6-2, 4-6, 7-5; Colgrove beat Mackay, 6-4, 6-3; Smith beat Nichols, 6-4, 7-5; Fiske beat Price, 6-1, 6-0; Watson beat Rempfer, 6-0, 6-1; Krause beat Zalusky, 6-3, 6-3.

First Round: Teigen beat Jones, 6-2, 6-0; Dow beat Mathews, 9-7 6-0; Barton beat Branson, 6-1, 6-2; Hoffman beat Enright, 6-2, 2-6, 6-1; Colgrove beat Smith 4-6, 6-4, 6-4; Watson beat Fiske, 6-0, 6-0; Dix beat Krause, 6-3, 7-5; Keith beat Gerla, 6-2, 6-0.

Second Round: Teigen beat Dow, 6-1, 6-8, 6-0; Barton beat Hoffman, 3-6, 6-0, 7-5; Watson beat Colgrove, 6-0, 6-1; Keith beat Dix, 6-2, 6-2.

Semi-final Round: Teigen won from Barton, by default; Keither beat Watson, 7-5, 7-5.

Final Round: Teigen beat Keith, 5-7, 3-6, 6-4, 7-5, 6-4.

Championship Round: Wheeler (holder) beat Tiegen, 6-1, 6-0, 6-2.

Doubles.

First Round: Keith and Teigen beat Hoffman and Rempfer, 3-6, 7-5, 6-2; Berther and Nichols beat Holbrook and Northrop, 5-7, 6-2, 6-2; Reynolds and Burnett beat Barclay and Fiske, 7-5, 6-1; Smith and Branson beat Wheeler and Mathews, 6-3, 3-6, 6-0; Rowley and Price beat Gerla and Holmes, 7-5, 6-4; Barton and Dix beat Donahue and Douthit, 6-0, 6-2; Mackay and Colgrove beat Krause and Ridlington, 6-4, 4-6, 8-6; Watson and Jones beat Zalusky and Enright, 6-2, 6-4.

Second Round: Keith and Teigen beat Berther and Nichols, 6-1, 6-3; Smith and Branson beat Reynolds and Burnett, 6-2, 6-4; Barton and Dix won from Rowley and Price, by default; Watson and Jones beat Mackay and Colgrove, 6-2, 3-6, 6-4.

Semi-final Round: Keith and Teigen beat Smith and Branson, 6-2, 7-5; Barton and Dix beat Watson and Jones, 6-3, 6-3.

Final Round: Barton and Dix beat Keith and Teigen, 4-6, 6-0, 6-3, 8-6.

The fifth annual tournament of the Association will be held at Madison, S. D., and I would respectfully refer you for further information to Frank C. Metcalf, President of the Association, at Madison.

CENTRAL IOWA TENNIS ASSOCIATION.

The first annual tournament of the Central Iowa Tennis Association was held on the courts of the Toledo (Iowa) Tennis Club, Sept. 18 and 19, 1906. Matches in Singles and Doubles were played and

aroused much interest. It is intended to make this tournament an annual event. The Singles were won by H. L. Beyer, of Grinnell, who had a hard-fought match with Ralph West in the Semi-Finals. The Doubles went to Messrs E. C. Halsey and J. W. Cogswell of Toledo. Tennis is increasing in public favor in Iowa and the number of fixed open tournaments is growing every season.

Scores:

Singles.

First Round: T. Milner, Jr., Belle Plaine, beat P. C. Walters, (Toledo), 6-0, 4-6, 6-2; S. S. Shambaugh (Toledo) beat H. M. Harris (Grinnell), 6-3, 6-4; Robert Ward (Toledo) beat Speaker (Toledo), by default; C. H. Cogswell, Jr., (Cedar Rapids) beat Geo. A. Howe (Marshalltown), by default.

Second Round: A. A. Blatherwick (Grinnell) beat Fredericks (Conrad), by default; S. H. Overholser (Toledo) beat E. C. Halsey (Toledo), 6-4, 6-3; H. H. Culbertson (Cedar Rapids) beat Geo. Hutchinson (Toledo), 6-1, 6-1; Shambaugh beat Milner, 6-0, 6-0; C. H. Cogswell, Jr., beat Ward, 6-1, 6-4; H. L. Beyer (Grinnell) beat St. Clair (Toledo), 6-1, 6-1; Ralph West (Grinnell) beat W. L. Kaufman (Conrad), 6-4, 6-4; J. W. Cogswell (Toledo) beat R. P. Kepler (Toledo), 6-4, 6-1.

Third Round: Blatherwick beat Overholser, 6-4, 6-4; Culbertson beat Shambaugh, 9-7, 5-7, 6-3; Beyer beat C. H. Cogswell, Jr., 6-1, 6-3; West beat J. W. Cogswell, 5-7, 6-3, 6-4.

Semi-final Round: Blatherwick beat Culbertson, 2-6, 6-4, 6-2; Beyer beat West, 6-4, 9-7.

Final Round: Beyer beat Blatherwick, 6-4, 6-1, 6-0.

Doubles.

Final Round: Halsey and J. W. Cogswell beat Kaufman and Fredericks, 5-7, 6-1, 6-4, 6-6, by default.

MIDDLE WEST TENNIS CHAMPIONSHIPS, 1906.

The sixth annual open tennis tournament for the championship of the Middle West in Gentlemen's Singles and Doubles, was held on the courts of the Omaha Field Club, the week beginning August 20.

Players Middle West State Tournament, Omaha Field Club Courts.

The entry list was large and the best of tennis was played throughout the tournament both in Singles and Doubles.

Large crowds were present to witness the Finals in both events W. T. Hayes retaining the Championship by defeating W. S. Gilman in three straight sets, 6-4, 6-2. 7-5. The Doubles were won by Collins and Peters of Chicago defeating Sanderson and Fletcher by the scores of 6-4, 6-1. 6-3.

During the week of the tournament the visiting players were nicely entertained by the committee in charge.

Scores:

Singles.

First Round: F. R. Sanderson beat J. H. Caldwell, 6-0, 6-0; S. Dougherty beat H. Baron, 6-3, 7-5; L. Van Camp beat J. Epeneter, by default; S. S. Caldwell beat G. W. Ackley, by default; Kreigh Collins beat A. Sherman, 6-1, 6-1; C. Armstrong beat A. Collett, by default; O. E. Champe beat W. Chambers, 6-2, 10-8; J. W. Hughes beat R. R. Beard, 6-1, 6-1; Herbert C. Kohn beat R. Dinning, by default; E. R. Sullivan beat Dr. Lemere, 6-3, 3-6, 7-5; R. B. Fletcher beat D. Neely, 6-1, 6-3; Dr. Atterbury beat G. J. Buck, 6-0, 6-0; Jack Hiles beat Allan B. Hamilton, by default; R. West beat A. Huntington, 6-2, 6-4; C. B. Perry beat C. P. Dode, by default; B. W. Capen beat Dr. Lake, 6-0, 7-1; C. S. Peters beat A. C. Potter, by default; F. Dufrene beat O. J. Hammer, by default; W. Hillis beat R. Rainey, 6-0, 6-0; G. J. Martin beat Dr. Schneider, by default; A. Scribner beat G. Rasmussen, by default; W. E. Blatherwick beat J. Brown, by default; A. Potter beat E. R. Jackson, 6-0, 6-0; T. Edmundson beat Lee Kennard, 6-1, 6-2; H. M. Holland beat Frank Potter, 6-0, 6-3; M. T. Swartz beat Ced Potter, by default; Ernest Sweet beat Dr. Nunn, 6-1, 6-1; L. McConnell beat C. E. D. Oldham, 6-3, 6-1; W. S. Gilman beat Fred Hamilton, by default; W. M. Wood beat A. A. Green, by default; F. Linn beat S. Smith, 6-1, 6-2; G. A. Potter beat O. V. Vernon, by default.

Second Round: Sanderson beat Dougherty, 6-1, 6-2; Caldwell beat Van Camp, 6-1, 6-1; Collins beat Armstrong, 6-1, 6-0; Hughes beat Champe, 7-5, 6-1; Kohn beat Sullivan, 8-6, 6-2; Fletcher beat Atterbury, 6-1, 6-0; Hiles beat West, 6-2, 6-3; Perry beat Capen, by default; Peters beat Dufrene, 6-0, 4-1; Hillis beat Martin, 6-0, 6-0; Blatherwick beat Scribner, 2-6, 6-3, 6-1; Edmundson beat Potter, 6-0, 6-2; Holland beat Swartz, 6-3, 6-0; McConnell beat Sweet, 6-3, 6-1; Gilman beat Wood 6-1, 6-1; Potter beat Linn, 6-1, 6-3.

Third Round: Sanderson beat Caldwell, 6-3, 7-5; Collins beat Hughes, 6-4, 6-3; Fletcher beat Kohn, 6-2, 6-3; Hiles beat Perry, 6-1, 6-1; Peters beat Hillis, 6-3, 6-3; Blatherwick beat Edmundson, 6-1, 6-3; Holland beat McConnell, 4-6, 6-1, 6-1; Gilman beat Potter, 3-6, 6-3.

Fourth Round: Sanderson beat Collins, 6-4, 1-6, 6-2; Fletcher beat Hiles, 6-2, 6-1; Blatherwick beat Peters, 6-1, 5-7, 6-2; Gilman beat Holland, 3-6, 6-3, 6-2.

Semi-final Round: Sanderson beat Fletcher, by default; Gilman beat Blatherwick, 6-2, 0-6, 2-6, 6-0, 7-5.

Final Round: Gilman beat Sanderson, 3-6, 6-2, 6-4.

Challenge Round: Hayes beat Gilman, 6-4, 6-2, 7-5.

Doubles.

Preliminary Round: Collins and Peters beat Dufrene and Wood, 6-2, 6-1; Hiles and Huntington beat Chambers and Van Camp, 6-1, 6-2; Gilman and Caldwell beat J. Caldwell and F. Potter, 6-3, 2-6, 6-2; Hayes and Blatherwick beat Oldham and Hammer, 6-1, 6-3; Atterbury and Sullivan beat Nunn and Rosewater, by default; Sherman and Potter beat Dougherty and Neely, 6-2, 6-4.

First Round: Kohn and Hughes beat Potter and Dinning, 6-1, 6-2; Swartz and Packard beat Lemere and Armstrong, 6-3, 7-5; Collins and Peters beat Perry and Potter, 6-2, 6-1; Hiles and Huntington beat Gilman and Caldwell, by default; Hayes and Blatherwick beat Atterbury and Sullivan, 6-2, 6-2; Sherman and Potter beat Scribner and Martin, 6-0, 6-0; McConnell and West beat Champe and Edmundson, 7-5, 4-6, 7-5; Holland and Young beat Beard and Baron, 6-1, 6-0.

Second Round: Kohn and Hughes beat Swartz and Packard, 6-4, 1-6, 6-4; Collins and Peters beat Hiles and Huntington, 6-4, 6-1; Hayes and Blatherwick beat Sherman and Potter, 6-0, 6-2; Holland and Young beat McConnell and West, 6-4, 6-2.

Semi-final Round: Collins and Peters beat Kohn and Hughes, 6-1, 6-2, 6-4; Hayes and Blatherwick beat Holland and Young.

Final Round: Collins and Peters beat Hayes and Blatherwick, 4-6, 6-3, 10-8, 6-3.

Challenge Round: Collins and Peters beat Sanderson and Fletcher, 6-4, 6-1, 6-3.

INTER-MOUNTAIN LAWN TENNIS ASSOCIATION.

The Inter-Mountain Lawn Tennis Association, Utah, Idaho, Wyoming and Colorado tournament, was held at Salt City June 28th and following days. There were 39 entries in the Singles and 12 teams in the Doubles.

By good steady play the Singles was won by R. W. Salisbury, and the Doubles by the Salisbury brothers, the score follows:

Scores:

Singles.

Semi-final Round: D. C. Roberts beat Dr. R. T. Richards, 5-7, 6-3, 6-4; R. W. Salisbury beat Rodney Badger, 6-4, 6-2.

Final Round: R. W. Salisbury beat D. C. Roberts, 6-4, 6-0, 6-2.

Winner: R. W. Salisbury.

Challenge Round: O. J. Salisbury, Jr., beat R. W. Salisbury, 8-6, 6-0, 6-8, 6-0.

Doubles.

Semi-final Round: Salisbury brothers beat T. G. Griffin and W. Thompson, 6-2, 1-6, 6-2; Roberts brothers beat Whitworth and Boraddus, 6-3, 6-1.

Final Round: Salisbury brothers beat Roberts brothers, 6-2, 8-6, 8-6.

Winners: Salisbury brothers.

COLORADO.

Our tourney was held on Sept. 8 to 14 inclusive under the auspices of the Denver Athletic Club. There were 28 entries in Singles and 12 teams in Doubles. The Singles were won by Mr. Farrington of this city. He was beaten for the Championship by C. P. Dodge of Colorado Springs and by so doing retains the permanent ownership of the beautiful cup offered by the club by winning the same three years, and consecutively. This cup has been contested for at least twelve years. Mr. Dodge won in straight sets handily.

The Doubles were won by the Graham brothers of this city by defeating C. P. Dodge and E. S. Kernochan in a hard fought match of

five sets, the first being 13-11 against the former, the second 6-2. By wonderful team work, the Grahams then took the next three sets and match. The Grahams have won the Doubles here, off and on, for a number of years. Consolation was won by R. A. Chapin of this city.

Colorado climate is great for tennis, as we play here practically the whole year round.

MISSOURI VALLEY.

Kansas City, Mo.

The seventh annual Missouri Valley tennis tournament was held on the courts of the Kansas City Athletic Club at Kansas City, July 30 to August 4 and was one of the most successful affairs of its kind ever held in this section of the country. Representative players from Missouri, Kansas, Iowa and Nebraska were present and the competition was keen in both Singles and Doubles. For the third successive time the honors went to the K. C. A. C. players, O. V. Vernon winning the Singles and D. L. James and Herbert V. Jones the Doubles, but only after the fiercest kind of play, Mr. Vernon all but losing his laurels to F. E. Shelden of the K. C. A. C., who had beaten him in a tournament the previous month for the City Championship. Unusually fine weather prevailed down to the day for the Finals when a heavy rain lasting several days caused a suspension of play for nearly a week. The opening rounds of the Singles brought out a number of exciting matches, the meeting between W. S. Gilman, the Sioux City expert and F. E. Shelden of the K. C. A. C., which was won by the latter, being especially productive of some excellent tennis.

In the Doubles the contest narrowed down to Shelden and Vernon of the K. C. A. C., and Hogg and Corbin, of Kansas University and Sterling and Kuke of St. Joseph, Mo., vs. Semple and Montgomery of the Triple A, St. Louis, before any particularly notable matches resulted. The K. C. A. C. pair had an exciting match with the Kansas men, finally winning, 11-9, 3-6, 6-2; while the Triple A experts won an interesting match from the St. Joseph team by scores of 6-1, 8-6.

The Championship round between Shelden and Vernon, challengers, and James and Jones, holders, was a repetition of the two previous

HERBERT V. JONES D. L. JAMES
Permanent Holders of Cups. Missouri Valley Tennis Tournament

years as these two teams have met in the Finals for three successive years, each time the laurels being won by the latter pair by a very narrow margin.

Men's Singles.

Preliminary Round: W. S. Gilman beat E. H. Seaver, 6-0, 5-7, 7-5; F. E. Shelden beat A. B. Cockrill, by default; N. M. Semple beat J. E. Gibson, 6-3, 6-2; C. S. Parker beat F. Frank Banks, 6-3, 5-7, 6-2; Archibald Hogg beat C. W. Allendorfer, 6-1, 6-2; A. Sherman beat Joe Ferguson, 6-0, 6-0; Will Hunter beat J. S. Cannon, by default; Howard Eaton beat Harry Hall, 6-4, 5-7, 7-5; E. P. Tyner beat H. S. Vaughn, by default; W. A. R. Summers beat D. K. Smith, by default; L. S. McConnell beat Clarence Wofford, 6-2, 6-1; F. H. Montgomery beat J. S. Chick, Jr., 6-4, 6-1; Carter Wilder beat Albert Marty, 6-2, 6-4; J. H. Chandler beat A. Wilson, 6-4, 6-4; H. V. Jones beat H. Hoff man, 6-2, 6-3; A. E. Streling beat F. T. Riley, 6-1, 6-3; H. A. Alley beat W. S. Thompson, 6-1, 6-1; D. K. Campbell beat Bert Wilson, by default; W. C. McNeil beat Tom James, 6-0, 6-2.

First Round: A. L. Corbin beat E. W. Duke, 6-4, 6-1; J. S. Tritle beat Burr Douglass, 6-1, 6-1; D. L. James beat Ralph West, 6-3, 6-0; Shelden beat Gilman, 2-6, 7-5, 6-1; Semple beat Parker, 6-1, 6-4; Hogg beat Sherman, 10-8, 6-4; Eaton beat Hunter, 6-4, 6-4; Tyner beat Summers, 6-3, 6-3; Montgomery beat McConnell, 6-2, 6-2; Wilder beat Chandler, 6-1, 7-5; Jones beat Sterling, 6-4, 6-2; Alley beat Campbell, by default; McNeil beat H. Dwelle, 6-2, 6-0; W. E. Higgins beat George R. Hicks, 6-4, 6-3; George Simpson beat O. D. Leming, by default; C. F. Stimson beat A. G. Welhener, 6-1, 6-3.

Second Round: Tritle beat Corbin, 3-6, 7-5, 6-1; Shelden beat James, 3-6, 9-7, 6-4; Hogg beat Semple, 6-1, 6-4; Eaton beat Tyner, 6-2, 6-4; Wilder beat Montgomery, 5-7, 7-5, 8-6; Jones beat Alley, 6-4, 6-2; Higgins beat McNeill, 6-3, 6-1; Stimson beat Simpson, 6-2, 6-2.

Third Round: Shelden beat Tritle ,6-3, 6-2; Hogg beat Eaton, 6-4, 6-3; Wilder beat Jones, 6-2, 4-6, 6-2; Higgins beat Stimson, 3-6, 6-2, 6-1.

Semi-final Round: Sheldon beat Hogg, 6-2, 8-6; Higgins beat Wilder, 6-4, 6-2.

Final Round: Frank E. Shelden beat W. E. Higgins, 6-4, 6-2, 4-6, 6-3.

Challenge Round: O. V. Vernon beat Frank E. Shelden, 1-6, 6-3, 3-6, 8-6, 6-1.

Men's Doubles.

Preliminary Round: McConnell and West beat Wilson and Wilson, by default; Seaver and Eaton beat McDaniel and Morrison, 6-3, 6-4; Hogg and Corbin beat Marty and Marty, 6-3, 6-4; Sterling and Duke beat Riley and Chandler, 3-6, 6-3, 6-1; Parker and Wornall beat Platt and Faust, 6-4, 6-3; Hoffman and Tyner beat Chick and Stimson, 6-2, 6-4.

First Round: Shelden and Vernon beat Cockrill and Cockrill, by default; Gilman and McNeill beat Hall and Graves, 6-4, 7-5; Tritle and Alley beat McConnell and West, 4-6, 6-0, 6-4; Hogg and Corbin beat Seaver and Eaton, 6-2, 12-14, 6-3; Sterling and Duke beat Parker and Wornall, 6-3, 6-0; Hoffman and Tyner beat Higgins and Banks, by default; Sherman and Hubbard beat Campbell and Leming, 7-5, 14-12; Semple and Montgomery beat Mitchell and Truby, by default.

Second Round: Shelden and Vernon beat Gilman and McNeill, 6-3, 6-4; Hogg and Corbin beat Tritle and Alley, 6-4, 6-2; Sterling and Duke beat Hoffman and Tyner, 6-3, 4-6, 6-4; Semple and Montgomery beat Sherman and Hubbard, 6-4, 10-12, 6-2.

Semi-final Round: Shelden and Vernon beat Hogg and Corbin, 11-9, 3-6, 6-2.

Final Round: Vernon and Shelden beat Semple and Montgomery, by default.

Challenge Round: D. L. James and H. V. Jones beat O. V. Vernon and Frank E. Shelden, 4-6, 6-4, 6-1, 6-2.

KENTUCKY.

The Kentucky State tennis tournament opened at Estill Springs, Irvine, Ky., July 20 and ran one week. This has developed into the social event of Kentucky and a gay crowd was in attendance. Every day the courts located in the valley at the foot of the mountains, were surrounded by an enthusiastic throng who intelligently applauded the players. The contest narrowed down between representatives of Inverness Country Club of Newport, Ky., and players from Louisville, and Inverness carried off the honors. The bright particular stars were Karl Little, present Kentucky Champion, Hugh Bates and Reginald

DR. KARL F. LITTLE AND HUGH H. BATES
Singles and Doubles. Kentucky Champions.

Marty, representing Inverness. Little, fresh from Southern conquests where he lifted cups at Macon and Atlanta, Ga., took his second leg on the Kentucky cup by defeating Bates, his partner in Doubles and runner-up in Singles, after a hard match. This match was the feature of the tournament, Bates playing a brilliant game but succumbing to his opponent's steadiness. Young Marty who is only 15 years of age is certainly a comer; he played a beautiful game up to the Semi-Finals where he lost to Barfield the Louisville crack, only because of lack of headwork. Everybody was interested in the play and most of the matches were fought over again at the evening Germans at Estill Springs Hotel.

Men's Singles.

Preliminary Round: Frank Marty, (Inverness Club, Ft. Thomas) beat Arch Bell, (Shelbyville), 6-3, 6-2.

First Round: V. T. Chambers (Ft. Mitchell, Corrington) beat Fred Bishop (Louisville), 6-2, 5-7, 6-4; D. C. Alexander (Shelbyville) beat F. J. Crawford, Jr. (Inverness Club, Ft. Thomas), 6-3, 3-6, 6-3; Peaslee Booker (Louisville) beat W. P. Tyler (Louisville), 3-6, 7-5, 6-3; Hugh Bates (Inverness Club, Ft. Thomas) beat W. H. Caldwell (Shelbyville), 6-3, 6-0; Frank Marty beat Frank Colville (Ft. Mitchell Club, Corrington), 2-6, 7-5, 6-2; Richard Barfield (Louisville) beat R. E. Klein (Inverness Club, Ft. Thomas), 6-1, 6-4; V. P. Kidney (Inverness Club, Ft. Thomas) beat Chas. Price (Louisville), 6-3, 6-3; S. Caldwell (Danville) beat Hanson Thomas (Louisville), 6-3, 6-0.

Second Round: Chambers beat Alexander, 6-0, 6-2; Bates beat Booker, 6-0, 6-0; Barfield beat Marty, 6-2, 1-6, 6-3; Kidney beat Caldwell, 6-2, 6-2.

Semi-final Round: Bates beat Chambers, 6-2, 6-3; Barfield beat Kidney, 6-2, 6-4.

Final Round: Bates beat Barfield, 6-0, 6-1, 6-2.

Championship Round: Dr. Karl F. Little (Inverness Club, Ft. Thomas) beat Bates, 6-3, 6-4, 6-1.

Men's Doubles.

Preliminary Round: Marty and Crawford (Inverness Country Club) beat Booker and Tyler (Louisville), 6-2, 6-3, 6-0; Price and Bishop (Louisville) beat S. Caldwell and Bell (Shelbyville), by default.

First Round: Little and Bates (Inverness Club, Ft. Thomas) beat Woolridge and Carter (Versailles), 6-0, 6-3, 6-0; Marty and Crawford

beat Barfield and Hollenbach (Louisville), by default; Price and Bishop beal Colville and Chambers (Ft. Mitchell Country Club, Corrington), 6-3, 5-7, 7-5, 7-5; Kidney and Klein (Inverness Country Club, Ft. Thomas) beat W. Caldwell and Alexander (Shelbyville), 6-0, 7-5, 6-2.

Semi-final Round: Little and Bates beat Marty and Crawford, 6-0, 6-1, 6-0; Price and Bishop beat Kidney and Klein, 6-2, 6-4, 6-3.

Final Round: Little and Bates beat Price and Bishop, 6-1, 6-2, 6-1.

Ladies' Singles.

First Round: Miss Ratterman (Westwood Tennis Club, Cincinnati) beat Miss Bradley (Inverness Country Club Ft. Thomas,) 6-3, 4-6, 6-3; Miss Ballard (Louisville) beat Miss Thomas (Lexington), 6-4, 6-2.

Second Round: Miss Ratterman beat Miss Fink (Louisville), 6-2, 5-7, 6-0; Miss Woodall (Ft. Mitchell Country Club, Corrington) beat Miss Ballard, 6-3, 6-4.

Semi-final Round: Miss Ratterman beat Miss Woodall, 7-5, 6-4.

Final Round: Miss Kellogg (Cincinnati Tennis Club) Champion 1905 beat Miss Ratterman, 5-7, 6-2, 6-3.

WASHINGTON.

Frank T. Payne, former Gulf States Champion, was the winner of the Washington State Tennis Championship in Men's Singles defeating Joe Tyler of Seattle in the Finals for the Carter Challenge cup, 6-2, 4-6, 6-3, 6-3. His win was earned by his superior judgment and steadiness, coupled with his speed and service, his deep court drives being particualrly effective.

From the start Payne led with the first two games, Tyler following with a tie at 2-all. At this stage Payne took the net and by cross court volleying took the set with comparative ease.

The second set went to Tyler at 6-4 all the games except one running to deuce. The next two sets were closely contested, Payne still keeping the lead however, and pulling out the match with the needed two sets at 6-3, 6-3.

Payne, who is a late resident of Tacoma, was a complete revelation and his strokes were marvels of ease and accuracy. Both players were in perfect condition and a great crowd was present to view the Finals.

In the Doubles, Sam Russell and Joe Tyler won fairly easily from F. T. Payne and Albert Armstrong of Tacoma by a score of 6-4, 0-6, 6-3, 6-3. Armstrong was not in his best playing form during the latter stage of the match.

The attendance of the Misses E. Ryan and A. Ryan of California was one of the chief features of the most successful tournament, the two young girls carrying off honors both in singles and doubles, Miss E. Ryan defeating her older sister, 7-5, 3-6, 6-3. (Both use the Sutton style of play and are counted as the next best in California.) They won the Doubles by defeating Miss V. Pooley and Miss Alice Bell of Victoria B. C. 6-4, 6-3.

Mr. Harry Pooley of Victoria and Miss A. Ryan of California won the first honors in the mixed event, from Mr. Douglas Hunter of Victoria and Miss E. Ryan by a score of 7-5, 5-7, 8-6. This was one of the most interesting matches of the tournament.

The presence of so much visiting talent and the high-class of play drew an extraordinary attendance throughout the week.

Following the conclusion of the matches, the handsome trophies were awarded by the President, Bernard Pelley, assisted by Mrs. Charles H. Rollins of the Ladies' Annex. Cheers were given for the visitors and returned, and the season of 1906 in the Northwest brought to a close.

MASSACHUSETTS DOUBLES TOURNAMENT.

The annual tournament for the State Championship of Massachusetts, for Doubles was held on the grounds of the Brae-Burn Country Club of West Newton during the week of June 1 and following days, records for this event, which began years ago at Magnolia, were beaten. The largest entry list in the history of any state were entered, 35 teams (70 men) being drawn, and when play began only one default was registered.

Not only in the number of entries but in every other respect the tournament was a record-breaker, and the brilliant gallery which surrounded the perfect courts during the tournament had a surfeit of really first-class Doubles.

Most of the teams were so closely matched as to make the matches exciting from start to finish.

The feature of the tournament's play was the marvelous steadiness of Edgar Leonard and Irving Wright who won the tournament and Championship by defeating F. J. Sulloway and H. B. Larned in the Challenge round.

The Johnson brothers were very steady in their own style, but their strokes lacked the killing power of Leonard and Wright, with whom they came in contact in the Semi-Final round. Their play was distinctly unorthodox, but individually their playing was good.

Scores;

First Round: Bailey and Hollis beat Howland and Wise, 6-3, 6-3, 7-5; Wales and Blakemore beat T. Blakemore and Pratt, 6-4, 6-4; Johnson and Johnson beat Miller and Reggio, 6-4, 6-3.

Second Round: Penhallow and Carl beat Bailey and Hollis, 7-6, 6-0; C. Plimpton and Speare beat Abbott and Martin, 6-2, 6-3; Cole and DeRahm beat C. Frothingham and Rotch, 6-3, 6-2; Pier and Beals beat E. Sheafe and Poole, 6-1, 6-4; J. B. Read and A. W. Jackson beat S. J. and R. F. Lovering, 2-6, 6-3, 6-3; DeCormis and Harlow beat Macomber and Wendall, 3-6, 6-3, 6-3; Walworth and Dana beat C. Bishop and Fay, 6-4, 0-6, 6-4; W. Putnam and Seaver beat Goodridge and Wyeth, 6-2, 6-4; E. Leonard and I. Wright beat G. Dowse and Peters, 6-0, 6-1; Fitz and Ware beat A. H. and J. W. Barnard, 6-0 6-4; H. E. and C. T. Young beat Burt and Burt, 7-5, 6-3; C. Niles and Sweetzer beat J. Nowell and Butters, 6-3, 8-6, 7-5; N. W. Niles and R. Bishop beat Davis and Davis, by default; R. Leonard and Morse beat S. Stackpole and Eaton, 6-1, 6-2; Johnson and Johnson beat Wales and Blakemore, 6-3, 4-6, 6-3.

Third Round: C. Plimpton and Speare beat Penhallow and Carl, 6-2, 7-5; Cole and DeRahm beat Coffin and Taylor, 6-2, 6-2; Pier and Beals beat Read and Jackson, 6-3, 6-2; Walworth and Dana beat DeCormis and Harlow, 10-8, 6-2; Leonard and Wright beat Seaver and N. E. Putnam, 2-6, 6-4, 8-6; Fitz and Ware beat Young and Young, 6-2, 6-3; N. W. Niles and R. Bishop beat C. Niles and Sweetzer, 6-1, 9-7; Johnson and Johnson beat R. Leonard and Morse, 6-2, 6-1.

Fourth Round: Cole and DeRahm beat C. Plimpton and Speare, 6-3, 6-1; Pier and G. Beals beat Walworth and Dana, 6-1, 6-2; Leonard and Wright beat Fitz and Ware, 7-5, 6-1.

Semi-final Round: Pier and G. Beals beat Cole and DeRahm, 6-4, 7-5; Leonard and Wright beat Johnson and Johnson, 7-5, 7-5.

Final Round: Leonard and Wright beat Pier and G. Beals, 6-0 6-1, 6-4.

Challenge Match: Leonard and Wright beat Sulloway and Larned 1-6, 6-4, 6-4, 6-3.

LAWN TENNIS IN AND AROUND CHICAGO.

Western Championship and other Tournaments.

The revival in interest in tennis so noticeable in the Chicago district during the season of 1905 was again felt last year and many new clubs entered the tennis field. Of these the most important addition was the new River Forest Club, a suburban organization that figured strongly in all the tennis activities during the year. The golf and country clubs also acknowledged the increased interest in tennis by building new courts and scheduling tennis events with regularity. But perhaps the most pleasing sign was found in the number of veterans that re-entered into active play and the great enthsuiasm shown by the younger players of Chicago. These latter players hailing from the schools and academies showed such strong form that they seriously threatened to carry away all the titles of importance. It was the first year in the history of western tennis that the youthful school-boy enthusiasts cut in seriously on the older, seasoned experts and so well did they play last season that it would be no surprise to see them carry off all the premier honors in the coming year. Of this group Heath Byford stood far in front and in the western ranking was given a rating just below the veteran western triumvirate Collins, Emerson and Waidner. Byford's work won for him the three largest tournaments given in the Chicago district and also enabled him to reach the Semi-Final round in the western event where he made an enviable showing against Nat. Emerson. It is confidently predicted by many of the western players, including Kreigh Collins, that Byford will have improved so much by this season that he will take first honors in the western easily. Allen Ross, winner of the western interscholastic also showed up strongly throughout the

year and his victory in the national interscholastic event at Newport was highly appreciated in the West. The game took a decided hold upon the women athletes of Chicago and all the tournaments given for them were well patronized. Many of the clubs boasted of women's teams and the inter-club matches between them brought out much enthusiasm. A woman's tennis league was organized during the latter part of September and a meeting will be called early in the Spring to draft a schedule and effect a more permanent organization. In the Men's Chicago Tennis League the games were better attended than ever before and the competition while friendly was of the keenest sort. The teams were closely matched and there was little to choose between them. Of the club events the handicap tournaments and the progressive Mixed Double events were the most popular although much interest was also manifested in the various club championship events. It is thought that many new clubs will enter the tennis field during the coming season and a big revival in interest is confidently expected.

The Chicago Tennis League.

The third and most successful season of the Chicago Tennis League was terminated with the Final matches early in September. Great interest was shown in these matches throughout the year and large galleries were always present to cheer on the favorite club. The competition for places on the club teams was of the keenest kind and as much interest was shown in them as in the tournaments. The matches were started early in June and the schedule so arranged as to avoid conflicts with the open tournaments. The most representative players of each club competed on the teams and the quality of tennis brought out was excellent. Six clubs took active part in the play the new River Forest Tennis Club having entered early in the year. Each club was represented by six players in the Singles and three teams in the Doubles and for the most part the matches were close and hard fought. At the close of the league schedule the teams representing the Aztec Tennis Club and the Kenwood Country Club were tied for first place each having four wins and one defeat to its credit. This necessitated the playing of an extra match in which the Aztec team defeated Kenwood seven matches to 2. The victory of the Aztec was due primarily to its well-balanced team, nearly all of the six men being of equal strength.

Third place went to the Wanderers' Cricket and Athletic Club whose team was composed of several ex-champions of known ability. The

AZTEC TENNIS CLUB TEAM CHAMPIONS OF CHICAGO LAWN TENNIS LEAGUE, 1906.

Top row, left to right—F. S. Weadley, R. L. Loesch, R. D. Wilbrenner, A. Williams, J. J. Ricker, Jr., (Captain)
Bottom row, left to right—J. J. Forstall, W. Wilkens, L. B. Byford, R. P. Keith, F. Klaner, Jr.,
R. D. Kellogg.

new River Forest Club met with a setback during the season in the loss of their new clubhouse by fire. This loss seemed to dampen their interest but little, however, and with an indomitable courage which was highly appreciated by the other clubs they played out their schedule and built a finer building than the one destroyed before the season had closed. The handsome Challenge cup has now been won by Kenwood twice and by the Aztec once.

The final standing of the clubs follow:

	Won	Lost
Aztec Tennis Club	5	1
Kenwood Country Club	4	2
Wanderers' Cricket Club	3	2
River Forest Tennis Club	2	3
Woodlawn Tennis Club	2	3
University of Chicago Tennis Club	0	5

On the fourth of July an inter-city match between the Aztec Tennis Club, the champions of Chicago and the Town Club, champions of Milwaukee was played on the Aztec courts and resulted in a close victory for the Chicago team.

The scores in this match were:

L. C. Mayhew (Town Club) beat R. D. Kellogg (Aztec), 10-8, 2-6, 8-6; R. Clarkson (Town Club) beat R. L. Loesch (Aztec), 5-7, 7-5, 6-4; Wm. Wilkens (Aztec) beat R. W. Watson (Town Club), 6-0, 6-4; R. D. Wilbrenner (Aztec) beat Robert McMynn (Town Club), 6-4, 6-2.

Wilbrenner and Ricker (Aztec) beat Mayhew and Clarkson (Town Club), 10-8, 3-6, 6-3.

Kellogg and Wilkens (Aztec) beat McMynn and Watson, 11-9, 7-5.

Open Tournament of The Wanderers' Cricket and Athletic Club.

The annual tournament of the Wanderer's Cricket and Athletic Club was held on their spacious and well-appointed grounds at Parkside, Chicago, the week of July 14 to 21.

The large entry (87 in all) necessitated the erection of seven additional courts on the out-field of the Cricket grounds. The turf was in splendid condition and some fine play was witnessed. This tournament is rapidly becoming one of the most popular in the West, owing to the extensive accommodation, not only of the grounds, but also of the clubhouse, which in size and convenience is unequalled.

The Open Singles event is for a trophy of the value of one hundred dollars, presented by the Club, which is to become the property of any player winning it three years in all.

Silver cups are given as first and second prizes in all the other events.

Entries for the ensuing year will close Wednesday July 17, 6 p. m.

G. H. Dunscomb,
Chairman Tennis Committee.

Singles.

Semi-final Round: Ross beat Larned, 4-6, 6-3, 3-6, 9-7, 6-1; Byford beat Blatherwick, 6-4, 6-1, 4-6, 4-6, 6-2.

Final Round: Byford beat Ross, 6-3, 6-4, 6-2.

Doubles.

Semi-final Round: Beard and McKeever beat Byford and Gardner, 6-4, 6-4, 0-6, 6-4; Ashcraft and Ross beat Perce and Wilkens, 4-6, 6-1, 6-2, 6-3; Bond and Darrow default.

Final Round: Ashcraft and Ross beat McKeever and Beard, 6-2, 6-2, 10-8.

Woodlawn Club's South Side Championship Tournament.

The annual tournament of the Woodlawn Tennis Club of Chicago for the South Side Championship was held on the club's courts during the week of July 1. The entry list was as large as usual and the play was close throughout. Principal interest in the event centered in the work of Heath Byford, a young University of Chicago player, whose ability was practically unknown. Byford had played in a few tournaments during the season of 1905 but it was hardly thought that he was a strong enough player to win such an important event. But this belief was found to be wrong when the collegian ran through the tournament in easy style disposing of such veterans as Buell McKeever and Edwin M. Ashcroft. The title which was held by Reuben G. Hunt went to Byford by default who thus gained his first leg on a Championship trophy.

Singles.

Semi-final Round: Byford beat McKeever, 6-0, 6-3, 6-4; Ashcraft beat Ross, 6-3, 6-1, 10-8.

Final Round: Byford beat Ashcraft, 6-2, 0-6, 6-3, 7-5.

Challenge Round: Byford beat R. G. Hunt, by default.

Doubles.

Semi-final Round: Ross and Ashcraft beat Poppin and Winston, 7-5, 6-3; McKeever and Beard beat Vernon and Davenport, 6-2, 6-2.

Final Round: Ross and Ashcraft beat McKeever and Beard, 7-5, 6-4, 4-6, 6-4.

Western Interscholastic Tournament.

The second annual interscholastic tennis tournament for the Championship of the West was held under the auspices of the University of Chicago on June 6 and following days. Nearly all the preparatory schools of importance in the Chicago district were represented and the quality of tennis was the best seen in a school event in years. Disappointment was felt owing to the absence from the play of Lawrence Stern, the title holder who was held favorite for first honors. The title was finally won by Allen Ross of Hyde Park High School who defeated his schoolmate F. A. Alexander in the Final Round, 6-1, 6-2. 6-1. Alexander had previously defeated W. J. Sunderland of Hyde Park in the Semi-Final round, 7-5, 6-2, which was a surprise for the fans who had figured Sunderland to win. In the Semi-Final Ross defeated Kuh of University High School 6-2, 6-4. The improved form of Ross was remarkable and he showed well throughout the season. His play at the net is his special good point and his service is also strong although he suffered last year repeatedly from foot-faulting.

In the Finals in Doubles Kuh and Alexander, the University High—Hyde Park team sprang a surprise by defeating Ross and Sunderland after a hard fought match, 0-6, 6-1, 6-1, 1-6, 6-2.

WESTERN CHAMPIONSHIPS.

THE nineteenth annual tournament for the Western Championship was held as usual on the turf courts of the Kenwood Country Club of Chicago on July 21 and following days. While there were fewer men of Championship ability than usual in the play the event was none the less interesting and the usual large galleries turned out each day to watch the progress of the event. With the exception of two bad days the weather was all that could have been wished for and the events were run off smoothly. The tournament proved to be a distinctly western affair as no entries were received from the East or the southern states. In the Men's Singles it was early predicted that the tournament would narrow down to a fight between the rivals of several successive westerners, Waidner, Emerson and Hunt. True to this prophesy these men ran into the Semi-Finals together with Heath Byford, the young University of Chicago player whose work in the Illinois tournament had created a sensation among the tennis fraternity. Waidner and Hunt had drawn into the upper-half and sustained little difficulty in reaching the Semi-Finals except for the close call Waidner had in the fourth round when he defeated the young interscholastic Champion Allen Ross after the hardest kind of a three-setl match. In the lower half Emerson had things much his own way as far as the Semi-Finals as did Heath Byford, whose hardest foe had been Walter T. Hayes, the Omaha player. In the Semi-Final round, however, the hardest matches ever seen in Chicago resulted in the meeting of these men. The day was exceptionally hot and oppressive and taxed the endurance of the contestants to the utmost. Both matches were put on at the same time and finished within a few moments of each other, which fact kept the gallery busy trying to watch the play in each. The Waidner-Hunt match proved to be one of their typical

five-set endurance contests with the difference that unlike their former meetings Hunt succeeded in capturing the first two sets. Both men appeared to be playing at top form and the short chop-strokes of the Californian worried Waidner perceptibly. After the second set Waidner began hitting the ball harder and playing much more aggressively and soon had Hunt on the defensive with the result that he captured three straight sets and the match, 3-6, 5-7, 6-3, 6-1, 6-2.

The other match between Nat. Emerson and Heath Byford proved the real surprise of the tournament as Byford started in at a terrible pace and seemed to have almost perfect control of his strokes. Such a fast game did the youthful collegian put up that Emerson was completely baffled and utterly unable to play his game. The best two sets went to Byford quickly 6-2 and 6-2 but at this stage Emerson braced and took the net at every opportunity and soon had Byford tired out. The next three sets he took after a hard fight 6-4, 6-1, 6-2 and with them the match.

As a result of these matches Waidner and Emerson were left to meet in the Finals where a hard-fought match was confidently expected. But in this the gallery was disappointed as Emerson scored a win in surprisingly easy fashion taking three straight sets from his old rival. Waidner seemed to have suffered his usual western slump and at no time during the match played the game of which he is capable. On the other hand Emerson played brilliantly, his work at the net being faultless.

In the Challenge round the veteran title holder ,Kreigh Collins, again showed his superiority on the Kenwood courts by defeating Emerson with comparative ease, 6-2, 6-4, 4-6 and 6-2 gaining by this match permanent possession of his second western trophy. Collins has now won the western eight times and is thinking seriously of dropping out of active tournament play this year.

In the Men's Doubles the two teams Collins and Hunt and Waidner and Emerson outclassed every other pair in the tournament and had no difficulty at all in reaching the Finals. They appeared to be equally matched and the long hard-fought five-set match that resulted from their meeting was no surprise to the tennis enthusiasts. Collins, however, seemed to be off form and played poorly during the greater part of the match. Emerson and Waidner played well together while the work of Hunt was an agreeable surprise to the gallery. The first set went to Waidner and Emerson easily 6-4 but the second was a complete

reversal and was captured by Collins and Hunt 6-0. The third and fourth were repetitions of the first two sets and the fifth and final set was close and well-played throughout Emerson and Waidner finally taking it 6-4. The injury to Emerson's knee which he suffered during the Northwestern tournament and which necessitated the forfeiting of their right to meet the winners of the Longwood event at Newport was a keen disappointment to their western friends who were anxious to have their skill tested with Hackett and Alexander.

The women's western brought out a strong entry list and resulted in an interesting tournament although the absence of Miss Edythe Parker and the lack of practice of Miss Carrie Neely were much regretted. The entry list was more thoroughly representative of the western states than ever before and this fact lent a special interest to the event. Miss Miriam Steever, the Illinois champion, again showed her class by running through to the Finals with little opposition, Here she again met Mrs. R. B. Neff who had defeated Miss Neely after a hard match in the Semi-Final round. The meeting of Mrs. Neff and Miss Steever created much enthusiasm owing to their previous meeting in the Illinois tournament and the sympathy of the gallery was about equally divided. In this match, however, Mrs. Neff playing her best game reversed the decision in the Illinois event and defeated her more youthful opponent after three hard sets, 5-7, 6-4, 6-2.

The Women's Doubles event captured by Miss Neely and Mrs. Neff who defeated Misses Parker and Steever in the Final round in unexpectedly easy style, 6-0, 6-3. The Mixed Doubles went to Mrs. Neff and Mr. Hunt who scored a win in the Final round over Mrs. Barnes and Mr. Hayes.

Scores:

Men's Singles.

Preliminary Round: Allen Ross beat R. T. French, by default; A. O. Lee beat Mr. Clark, by default; Blair Larned beat M. Bergfeld.

First Round: Ross beat Mark Mitchell, by default; T. F. O'Brien beat J. C. Warbrick, 8-6, 6-2; H. L. Marsh beat G. E. Acret, 6-0, 6-2; J. T. Bailey beat Frank Riley, 6-0, 6-1; N. W. Mundy beat H. Hardin, by default; Roy Buttolph beat F. Ritchie; L. H. Waidner beat G. M. McConnell, 6-2, 6-3; H. M. Holland beat Wm. Wilkens, 6-4, 5-7, 6-4; Paul Gardner beat L. K. Beck, 6-4, 6-2; P. B. Corneau beat R. D. Kellogg; R. G. Hunt beat R. L. Loesch, 6-4, 6-3; Buell McKeever beat E. Shlesinger, by default; O. V. Vernon beat P. R. Lynch, 6-0,

6-4; J. E. Ricker beat Karl Little, by default; A. M. Vernon beat C. W. Green, 6-0, 6-4; C. N. Beard beat J. A. Ryerson, 3-6, 6-2, 6-1; Fred Klaner beat H. Allen, by default; Heath Byford beat W. E. Blatherwick, 6-3, 6-2; L. W. Perce beat W. B. Simmons, 6-4, 8-10, 6-0; W. C. Clare beat W. C. Burton, by default; A. L. Barton beat F. G. Becker; W. T. Hayes beat J. Matz, 6-1, 6-4; F. Weadley beat T. Simmons, by default; W. L. Meyers beat P. C. Preston, by default; P. H. Davenport beat J. W. Bingham; H. C. Daniels beat L. D. Burford; Nat Emerson beat C. M. Raymond, 6-2, 6-0; W. N. Knight beat L. A. Cock, 6-6, 7-5; R. O. Miles beat F. P. Garrison, by default; Carl Matz beat L. P. Brosseau, 4-6, 9-7, 6-0; C. S. Peters beat C. S. Winston, by default; Larned beat Lee, 6-0, 6-4.

Second Round: Ross beat O'Brien, 6-3, 6-1; Marsh beat Bailey, 6-1, 6-8, by default; Buttolph beat Mundy, 6-2, 9-7; Waidner beat Holland, 6-0. 6-0; Gardner beat Corneau; Hunt beat McKeever, 6-2, 6-2; Vernon beat Ricker, 6-0, 6-3; Beard beat Vernon, 6-2, 6-3; Byford beat Klaner, 6-2, 6-2; Perce beat Clare, 6-1, 7-5; Hayes beat Barton, 6-1, 6-1; Meyers beat Weadley, 6-4, 6-4; Daniels beat Davenport, by default; Emerson beat Knight, 6-1, 6-3; Miles beat Matz, 6-0, 6-1; Larned beat Peters, 4-6, 8-6, 6-2.

Third Round: Ross beat Marsh, 6-1, 6-3; Waidner beat Buttolph, by default; Hunt beat Gardner, 6-2, 6-4; Vernon beat Beard, 8-6, 6-4; Byford beat Perce, 6-0, 6-1; Hayes beat Meyers, 6-2, 2-6, 6-3; Emerson beat Daniels, 6-0, 6-1; Larned beat Miles, 6-3, 6-3.

Fourth Round: Waidner beat Ross, 6-0, 6-8, 7-5; Hunt beat Vernon, 6-4, 6-0; Byford beat Hayes, 6-3, 7-5; Emerson beat Larned, 6-1, 6-3.

Semi-final Round: Waidner beat Hunt, 3-6, 5-7, 6-3, 6-1, 6-2; Emerron beat Byford, 2-6, 2-6, 6-4, 6-1, 6-2.

Final Round: Emerson beat Waidner, 6-2, 6-1, 6-4.

Challenge Round: Collins, (holder) beat Emerson (challenger), 6-2, 6-1, 4-6, 6-2.

Men's Doubles.

Preliminary Round: Byford and Gardner beat Wilkins and Perce, 6-1, 6-1, 6-0; Holland and Sanderson beat Ricker and Loesch, 6-8, 2-6, 6-3, 6-1, 6-2; Larned and Ryerson beat Lee and Champlin, 6-3, 3-6, 9-7, 8-6; Hayes and Blatherwick beat Miles and Buttolph, 3-6, 6-2, 6-2, 6-3; Bailey and O'Brien beat Meyers and partner, by default;

McConnell and Weadley beat Garrison and Little, by default; Matz brothers beat Clare and Bergfeld, 6-3, 6-4, 6-1; Collins and Hunt beat Ross and partner, by default.

First Round: Waidner and Emerson beat Ritchie and partner, by default; Johnson and Hanson beat Vernon and Davenport, by default; Byford and Gardner beat Holland and Sanderson, 7-5, 8-6, 11-9; Larned and Ryerson beat Hayes and Blatherwick, 4-6, 6-1, 7-9, 6-4, 6-3; McConnell and Weadley beat Bailey and O'Brien, 6-4, 6-1, 7-5; Collins and Hunt beat Matz brothers, 6-0, 6-1, 6-0; Burford and Kellogg beat O'Brien and partner, by default; McKeever and Beard beat Cock and partner.

Second Round: Waidner and Emerson beat Johnson and Hanson, 6-2, 6-0, 6-0; Larned and Ryerson beat Byford and Gardner, 2-6, 4-6, 7-5, 6-4, 6-3; Collins and Hunt beat McConnell and Weadley, 6-1, 6-0, 6-6; McKeever and Beard beat Burford and Kellogg, by default.

Semi-final Round: Waidner and Emerson beat Larned and Ryerson, 6-4, 6-3, 6-0; Collins and Hunt beat McKeever and Beard, by default.

Final Round: Waidner and Emerson beat Collins and Hunt, 6-4, 0-6, 6-4, 2-6, 6-4.

WOMEN'S SINGLES AND DOUBLES.

Women's Singles.

Preliminary Round: Miss E. S. Dunham beat Miss Katherine McConnell, by default; Mrs. R. B. Neff beat Miss Lotta Krum, 6-1, 6-1; Miss Mabel Lee beat Miss Adelaide Hanaford, 6-0, 6-0; Miss Marion Evans beat Miss Juliet Brooks, 6-0, 6-1; Miss Miriam Steever beat Miss M. Ullman, 6-2, 6-3; Miss G. Wales beat Miss Helen Young, 6-0, 6-4; Miss M. Bell beat Miss Octavia Williams, 6-3, 6-2; Miss Catherine Bronson beat Miss Isabel Barnham, 6-2, 6-1.

First Round: Miss H. Collom beat Miss M. Parkyn, 6-2, 6-4; Miss C. B. Neely beat Miss Ruth Croker, 6-0, 6-1; Mrs. R. B. Neff beat Miss E. S. Dunham, 6-0, 6-0; Miss Marion Evans beat Miss Mabel Lee, 6-3, 6-4; Miss Miriam Steever beat Mrs. G. Wales, 6-4, 6-4; Mrs. M. Bell beat Catherine Bronson, 6-2, 6-4; Mrs. G. Edgar Barnes beat Mrs. H. C. Harger, 6-0, 6-2; Miss Lelah Belden beat Miss Caronna Winn, 6-1, 3-6, 8-6.

Second Round: Miss C. B. Neely beat Miss H. Collum, 6-0, 6-0; Mrs. R. B. Neff beat Miss Marion Evans, 6-1, 6-0; Miss M. Steever beat Miss M. Bell, 6-2, 6-2; Miss Lelah Belden beat Miss G. Edgar Barnes, 6-2, 6-3.

Semi-final Round: Mrs. R. B. Neff beat Miss C. B. Neely, 6-1, 4-6, 6-3; Miss Miriam Steever beat Miss Lelah Belden, 6-0, 6-3.

Final Round: Mrs. Neff beat Miriam Steever, 5-7, 6-4, 6-2.

Women's Doubles.

Final Round: Won by Miss Neely and Mrs. Neff defeating Misses Parker and Steever, 6-0, 6-3.

Mixed Doubles,

Final Round: Won by Mrs. Neff and R. G. Hunt defeating Mrs. Barnes and W. T. Hayes, 7-5, 6-1.

THE WESTERN RANKING, 1906.

Singles.

1. Kreigh Collins.
2. Nat Emerson.
3. L. Harry Waidner.
4. Heath Byford.
5. Reuben G. Hunt.
6. Walter T. Hayes.
7. Allen Ross.
8. Blair Larned.
9. Buell McKeever.
10. W. G. Blatherwick.
11. Lawrence B. Burford.
12. Charles N. Beard.

Doubles.

1. Waidner and Emerson.
2. Collins and Hunt.
3. Waidner and Peters.
4. McKeever and Beard.
5. Byford and Gardner.
6. Hayes and Blatherwick.
7. Holland and Sanderson.

MISS SUTTON'S TRIP ABROAD.

1906

ALTHOUGH Miss Sutton was not as successful on her second trip to England as she was on her first (the previous year) she played very good tennis as the scores of the tournaments mentioned below which she took part in will show. Her two defeats were at the hands at Miss D. K. Douglass who played much stronger tennis than the year before and won the honor of Lady Champion of the British Isles by steady and excellent all-around tennis.

Liverpool—Challenge Round—Miss Douglass beat Miss Sutton, 7-5, 6-3.

Leicester—Championship of Europe—Final Round—Miss Sutton beat Miss Pinckney, 6-0, 7-5.

Wimbledon—Ladies' Doubles—Final wound—Miss Sutton and Mrs, Hillyard beat Mrs. Sterry and Miss Morton.

Wimbledon—Mixed Doubles—Semi-final Round—Miss Thompson and Mr. Gore beat Miss Sutton and Mr. Hillyard, 6-4, 4-6, 8-6.

Wimbledon—All England Championship—Challenge Round—Miss Douglass beat Miss Sutton, 6-2, 9-7.

Newport—Welch Championship—Final Round—Miss Sutton beat Miss Garfit, 6-0, 6-1.

Newcastle—Final Round—Miss Sutton beat Miss Atcherson, 6-2, 6-1.

CALIFORNIA LAWN TENNIS

Pacific Coast Championship.

THE nineteenth annual Championship tennis tournament of the Pacific States was held on the courts of Hotel Rafael at San Rafael from Sept. 1 to Sept. 10 consisting of Men's Singles, Men's Doubles, Women's Singles, Women's Doubles, Mixed Doubles and for the first time Junior Singles. The surprises of the tournament were the defeats of A. E. Bell and Charles Foley by the 16 year-old Melville Long who won the Championship by easily defeating Geo. Janes in the Challenge match. Long also won the junior Championship. The Northern men and women captured all of the prizes and for the first time the Southerners returned without their usual load of trophies.

Miss May Sutton lost the Championship to Miss Hazel Hotchkiss, by default who had defeated Miss Dobbins in the Finals.

In the Finals between M. Long vs. Geo. Janes it was a very one-sided match. Long assumed the net position at all times and outclassed his opponent. Long's style is very similar to Clothier's and as he has a tremendous reach cannot be passed.

The Men's Doubles was won by Charles Foley and Fred Adams of the Golden Gate Tennis Club by defeating Bell and Bundy in the Finals and winning the Challenge match by the default of H. Braley and S. Sinsabaugh. Melville Long won the Junior Championship by defeating Batkin in the Final match.

In the Women's Singles Miss Hazel Hotchkiss of Berkeley had the distinction of being the first player outside of the Sutton family to defeat a Sutton in tournament play in some years. In the Semi-Final round of the Women's Coast Championship tournament she disposed of Mrs. Bruce, who was Miss Ethel Sutton, by the score of 9-7, 6-1

In the Finals for the Coast Championship Mrs. Hotchkiss defeated Miss Gabriel Dobbins of Southern California by good and steady tennis, score 6-2, 6-3.

The Women's Doubles was won by Miss Ethel Ratcliffe and Miss Hazel Hotchkiss defeating the southern team Mrs. (Sutton) Bruce and Miss Dobbins.

The Mixed Doubles was won by Miss Hazel Hotchkiss and Chas. Foley who defeated the other northern team Miss Golda Myer and Geo. Janes in the Finals.

A remarkable fact was the winning of all the Championships this year by Park players. Tennis was only introduced in the Golden Gate Park in 1899 through a suggestion from Mr. George Wright who visited here that year with Whitman, Beals Wright, Ward and Davis.

Scores:

Men's Singles.

First Round: S. M. Sinsabaugh beat R. D. Gatewood, 6-4, 8-6; C. Foley beat F. W. Guerin, 6-2, 7-5; D. K. Shanks beat H. F. Hobson, 6-0, 6-1; A. E. Bell beat M. McLaughlin, 6-3, 6-2; M. Long beat N. Browne, 6-3, 6-4; R. Nicholson beat B. F. Nourse, 2-6, 7-5, 6-1; T. C. Bundy beat H. Long, 7-5, 6-3; H. Rolfe beat L. Davis, 3-6, 6-3, 6-1; G. Busch beat F. Adams, 6-3, 6-4; S. Gayners beat R. Knowlton, 6-4, 6-3; R. Drolla beat T. Code, 7-5, 1-6, 6-3; C. Griffin beat C. Wayne, 9-7, 7-9, 6-4.

Second Round: H. A. Schmidt beat S. M. Henry, 6-4, 6-1; Foley beat Sinsabaugh, 6-3, 6-2; Bell beat Shanks, 6-1, 6-3; M. Long beat Nicholson, 6-1, 3-6, 6-4; Bundy beat Rolfe, 7-5, 6-4; Busch beat Gayners, 6-8, 6-3, 6-4; Griffin beat Drolla, 6-1, 8-6; H. F. Elliott beat H. Donnell, by default.

Third Round: Foley beat Schmidt, 10-8, 6-4; Long beat Bell, 5-7, 6-2, 6-2; Bundy beat Busch, 6-2, 4-6, 6-1; Griffin beat H. F. Elliott, 6-3, 6-3.

Fourth Round: Long beat Foley, 6-0, 6-3; Bundy beat Griffin, 6-2, 6-1.

Final Round: M. Long beat Bundy, 4-6, 7-5, 6-3, 6-2.

Championship Round: M. Long beat Geo. C. Janes, Champion of 1905, 6-2, 7-5, 6-2.

Men's Doubles.

First Round: Elliott and Janes beat Long brothers, 6-0, 7-5; Brown and Sinsabaugh beat Guerin and Code, 6-0, 6-2; Bell and Bundy beat Henry and Gatewood, 6-4, 6-3.

Second Round: Adams and Foley beat Nourse and Shank, 6-2, 6-2; Elliott and Janes beat Brown and Sinsabaugh, 6-4, 6-2; Bell and Bundy beat Rolfe and Schmidt, 7-5, 6-4; McLaughlin and Griffin beat Getz and Hayners, 6-4, 7-5.

Semi-final Round: Adams and Foley beat Elliott and Janes, 5-7, 6-2, 6-4; Bell and Bundy beat McLaughlin and Griffin, 3-6, 6-1, 6-2.

Final Round: Adams and Foley beat Bell and Bundy, 6-2, 6-2, 6-4.

Women's Singles.

First Round: Mrs. Bruce beat Miss Garland, 6-2, 6-0; Miss Peralta beat Miss Vallean, 6-1, 6-0; Miss Dobbins beat Miss Seymour, 6-0, 6-1.

Second Round: Miss Hotchkiss beat Miss Myer, 6-4, 7-9, 8-6; Mrs. Bruce beat Miss Peralta, 6-1, 6-1; Miss Dobbins beat Mrs. Seymour; Miss Ratcliffe beat Miss Jones.

Semi-final Round: Miss Hotchkiss beat Mrs. Bruce, 9-7, 6-1; Miss Dobbins beat Miss Ratcliffe, 6-4, 7-5.

Final Round: Miss Hotchkiss beat Miss Dobbins, 6-2, 6-3.

Women's Doubles.

First Round: Mrs. Seymour and Miss Peralta beat Miss Vallean and Miss Jones, 6-2, 6-3.

Semi-final Round: Miss Dobbins and Mrs. Bruce beat Miss Seymour and Miss Peralta; Miss Ratcliffe and Miss Hotchkiss beat Miss Seymour and Miss Garland.

Final Round: Miss Ratcliffe and Miss Hotchkiss beat Miss Dobbins and Mrs. Bruce, 6-4, 6-4.

Juniors.

First Round: Long beat McLaughlin, 6-0, 10-8; Getz beat Strachan, 6-1, 3-6, 6-1; Batkin beat Korbel, by default.

Semi-final Round: Long beat Getz, 6-3, 6-4; Batkin beat H. Guerin, 9-7, 6-1.

Final Round: Long beat Batkin, 6-3, 6-3, 6-1.

CALIFORNIA STATE CHAMPIONSHIP.

The California State Championship was held in San Francisco at the California Club courts for the first time and was won by Herbert Long (winner of the Academic League in 1905) who defeated Fred Adams the holder in a fast match.

Miss Hazel Hotchkiss won the Women's Singles by defeating Miss Golda Myer in the Finals and Miss Ratcliffe the holder, by default.

Percy Murdock one of the best of the older players entered the tournament and was considered to be the probable winner. He beat Charles Foley, who was figured the best next to himself, Carl Gardner, George Janes and Melville Long only to be defeated in the Finals by Herbert Long. Murdock played M. Long in the morning and was in no condition to play a hard match when he met H. Long later in the day.

Scores:

Preliminary Round: R. N. Whitney beat C. S. Gayness, by default; Maurice McLoughlin beat B. F. Nourse, 6-2, 6-4; George Janes beat George Guerin, 6-3, 6-2; Carl Gardner beat Henry Mills, 6-3, 6-3; Percy Murdock beat Charles Foley, 6-3, 1-6, 6-1; Clarence Griffin beat Drummond MacGavin, 6-8, 6-3, 6-2; Fred Bass beat James Code, 7-5, 6-3; Herbert Long beat Fletcher Elliott, by default; Harold Getz beat Albert Kenyon, 6-4, 6-4; Harold Gabriel beat George Cutter, 6-2, 6-0.

First Round: Melville Long beat George Busch, 8-6, 6-3; Whitney beat W. G. Knowlton, 6-2, 6-4; Janes beat McLoughlin, 10-8, 6-8, 6-4; Murdock beat Gardner, 6-3, 6-2; Griffin beat Bass, 6-4, 6-4; H. Long beat Getz, 6-3, 6-2; Gabriel beat Charles Kuehn, 6-3, 6-2; Dr. Bush beat E. P. Finnegan, 1-6, 6-4, 6-4.

Second Round: M. Long beat Whitney, 6-4, 6-0; Murdock vs. Janes and Griffin vs. H. Long, unplayed. Gabriel beat Bush, 6-0, 6-4; Murdock beat G. James, 6-3, 6-8, 6-3; H. Long beat C. Griffin, 6-3, 3-6, 6-3.

Semi-final Round: P. Murdock beat M. Long, 6-0, 3-6, 7-5; H. Long beat H. Gabriel, 8-6, 6-8.

Final Round: H. Long beat Murdock, 6-2, 3-6, 6-4, 6-1.

HERBERT LONG,
California State Champion.

Challenge Round: H. Long beat Fred Adams (holder), 6-4, 4-6, 7-5, 6-2.

The San Francisco Championship was won by Charles Foley of the Golden Gate Club who defeated Carl Gardner the holder in a close match, 6-3, 6-2, 5-7, 1-6, 6-1.

The Bay Countries Championship held by the Golden Gate Club was won by George James, who after defeating M. Long, Champion of the Coast, beat Charles Foley (the holder in straight sets). The Doubles was won by a new team Reuben Hunt and Clarence Griffin who beat R. N. Whitney and Charles Foley by default.

The Alameda County Championship was won by Charles Foley.

Owing to the earthquake there was no intercollegiate match, no academic or grammar school tournament.

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA.

The courts of the Ocean Park Country Club, Los Angeles, were again the scene of the annual Championship of the Southern California Lawn Tennis Association, this being the twenty-second consecutive tournament held under its auspices, a record unequalled, we believe, in the West, and when we recall that American Lawn Tennis only retains records of the game since 1885, we can claim some little credit tor promoting the game in America.

This year's play drew forth the largest field entries that the Association has ever handled with 114 matches and a field of 44 in the Gentlemen's Singles alone, but thanks to the excellence of the arrangements of the secretary, the play was concluded according to schedule and every event completed even to the Consolations.

Again were we favored with a visit from several of the best known experts from the North, Messrs Foley, Adams, Gardner and Crawford of San Francisco, playing in practically all the events, but they were obliged to lower their colors to the Southern players, none of the quartet being able to reach the Semi-final round. Their revenge came the following month, however, when the Southerners were routed horse, foot and dragoons at San Rafael in the Coast Championship.

This year's honors in Gentlemen's Singles go to Harold Braley, who defeated among others Sinsabaugh, Bell and Browne, and took the premier place, winning the Championship by default from Eugene Overton who was unable to defend his title owing to being engaged in a yacht race to Honolulu. Braley has greatly improved and now shows an even steadiness, which added to his powerful physique makes him a dangerous opponent.

The Gentlemen's Doubles were won by Sinsabaugh and Browne who have joined forces, and the brilliant net play of Sinsabaugh, when aided by the accurate base line driving and consistent lobbying of Browne proved the undoing of their opponents and after defeating Braly and Hart—a Herculean pair—for the right to play for the cups, they overcame Bell and Way, the 1905 Champions in straight sets.

In the Ladies' Singles the chroniclers have for many years had to write the Final match, Sutton verses Sutton, and this year was no exception, Miss Florence playing her elder sister, Mrs. Ethel Sutton Bruce for the cup. Mrs. Bruce was not to be denied this year, however, and annexed the prizes and honors after playing the best tennis she has ever shown. That the standard of play of the ladies in Southern California is very high is evidenced by the fact that Miss Florence Sutton playing in the Tri-State tournament at Cincinnati this year won the event losing no more than two games to any opponent and forcing her famous sister May to play a deuce set in the Challenge match.

The Mixed Double event fell to Miss Seymour and Bell, the Ladies' Doubles to Mrs. Bruce and Miss Dobbins while the Rogers brothers, two most promising young players, had a battle royal for the Junior Singles, H. Rogers winning.

Scores:

Singles.

First Round: Cassell beat Aiken, 7-5, 6-0; Noble beat Variel, 7-5, 6-2; Bundy beat Donnell, 7-5, 6-1; Foley beat Gorham, 2-6, 6-3, 6-0; Nebeker beat Davis, 5-7, 6-3, 6-4; Crawford beat Taylor, 8-6, 6-0; Bradford beat Sheldon, by default; Dawson and Bottolph, 6-0, 6-0; Steele beat Griffiths, 6-2, 6-4; Braly and Sardar, by default; Wayne beat Lawe, 6-2, 6-4; Bell beat D. Holmes, 6-0, 6-1; Gowan beat Stanton, 6-2, 6-2.

Second Round: Gardner beat Lawrence, 5-7, 6-4, 6-4; Elliot beat J. Holmes, 6-2, 6-4; Jones beat Galusha, 6-0, 3-6, 6-0; Browne beat

Townsend, 6-2, 6-3; Cassell beat Cooke, by default; Bundy beat Noble, 6-4, 6-1; Foley beat Nebeker, 6-3, 6-2; Crawford beat Bradford, 6-4, 6-0; Dawson beat Steele, 6-3, 6-3, 6-4; Braly beat Wayne, 6-2, 6-4; Bell beat Gowan, 6-1, 6-3; W. Mace beat K. Mace, by default; Spaulding beat Grace, 6-3, 6-2; Adams beat Gabriel, 6-1, 6-4; Russ beat Hutton, 4-6, 6-3, 6-0; Sinsabaugh beat Henry, by default.

Third Round: Gardner beat Elliott, 6-1, 6-3; Browne beat Jones, 6-2, 6-1; Bundy beat Cassell, 8-6, 6-1; Foley beat Crawford, 7-5, 6-1; Braly beat Dawson, 6-3, 6-2; Bell beat W. Mace, 6-0, 6-1; Adams beat Spalding, 6-3, 1-6, 6-2; Sinsabaugh beat Russ, 6-2, 11-9.

Fourth Round: Browne beat Gardner, 6-0, 6-2; Bundy beat Foley, 6-2, 6-4; Braly beat Bell, 6-4, 4-6, 6-3; Sinsabaugh beat Adams, 6-2, 6-4.

Semi-final Round: Browne beat Bundy, 7-5, 6-4; Braly beat Sinsabaugh, 6-2, 6-2.

Final Round: Braly beat Browne, 7-5, 0-6, 6-4, 6-3.

Challenge Round: Braly (challenger) beat Overton (holder), by default.

Junior Singles.

Preliminary Match: Barker beat Fogul, 6-0, 6-0.

First Round: H. N. Rogers beat Douglass, 6-3, 7-5; Mace beat Barker, by default; Holmes beat Meyran, 6-2, 6-4; C. Rogers beat Nebeker, 2-6, 6-2, 7-5.

Semi-final Round: H. Rogers beat Mace, 2-6, 7-5, 7-5; C. Rogers beat Holmes, 6-1, 6-1.

Final Round: H. Rogers beat C. A. Rogers, 7-5, 6-4, 4-6, 6-3.

Ladies' Singles.

First Round: Miss A. Scott beat Miss Bundy, 6-0, 6-0; Miss F. Sutton beat Miss Seymour, 6-2, 6-0; Mrs. B. O. Bruce beat Miss Browen, 6-3, 6-1.

Second Round: Mrs. Seymour beat Miss Conger, 6-0, 6-4; Mrs. Bruce beat Miss Scott, 7-5, 6-2; Miss Sutton beat Miss Dobbins, 6-2, 6-1; Miss Peralta beat Miss Hutton, 6-2, 7-5.

Semi-final Round: Mrs. Bruce beat Mrs. Seymour, 6-0, 6-0; Miss F. Sutton beat Miss Peralta, 6-1, 6-3.

Final Round: Mrs. Bruce beat Miss F. Sutton, 6-1, 6-4.

Challenge Round: Mrs. Bruce (challenger) beat Mrs. Harold Hope-Doeg (holder), by default.

Consolation Single.

Final Round: H. Donnell beat R. H. F. Variel, 3-6, 7-5, 6-2, 9-7.

Ladies' Doubles.

First Round: Mrs. Bruce and Miss Dobbins beat Mrs. Farquhar and Miss Hall, 6-2, 6-4; Miss Conger and Miss Browne beat Miss Sutton and Miss Seymour, 6-2, 0-6, 6-3; Miss A. Scott and Miss E. Scott beat Miss Hutton and Miss Bundy, 6-2, 6-4; Mrs. Seymour and Miss Peralta, bye.

Semi-final Round: Mrs. Bruce and Miss Dobbins beat Miss Conger and Miss Browne, 6-3, 6-3; Mrs. Seymour and Miss Peralta beat Miss A. Scott and Miss E. Scott, 6-0, 6-1.

Final Round: Mrs. Bruce and Miss Dobbins beat Mrs. Seymour and Miss Peralta, 6-1, 6-3.

Gentlemen's Doubles.

Preliminary Round: Braly and Hart beat Douglas and Holmes, 6-3, 6-3; Steele and Grace beat Buttolph and Aiken, 6-2, 6-4; Taylor and Griffith beat Cassell and Gabriel, 6-4, 5-7, 6-1; Bundy and Gorham beat Jones and Hutton, 6-3, 6-1.

First Round: Foley and Gardner beat Lawe and Lawrence, 6-1, 6-2; Wayne and Variel beat Davis and Stanton, 6-0, 6-0; Rogers and Rogers beat Gowan and Holmes, 3-6, 6-1, 7-5; Braly and Hart beat Steele and Grace, 6-2, 6-2; Bundy and Gorham beat Taylor and Griffith, 6-1, 6-1; Adams and Crawford beat Russ and Schmidt, 6-2, 6-3; Spalding and Donnell beat Galusha and Hutton, by default; Browne and Sinsabaugh beat Mace and Nebeker, 6-2, 6-2.

Second Round: Wayne and Variel beat Foley and Gardner, 6-4, 4-6, 6-4; Braly and Hart beat Rogers and Rogers, 6-3, 6-4; Bundy and Gorham beat Adams and Crawford, 6-0, 6-0; Browne and Sinsabaugh beat Spalding and Donnell, 7-5, 7-5.

Semi-final Round: Braly and Hart beat Wayne and Variel, 6-3, 3-6, 6-2; Browne and Sinsabaugh beat Bundy and Gorham, 7-5, 7-5.

Final Round: Browne and Sinsabaugh beat Braly and Hart, 2-6, 7-5, 7-5, 6-2.

Challenge Round; Browne and Sinsabaugh (challengers) beat Bell and Way (holders), 6-4, 6-4, 7-5.

Mixed Doubles.

First Round: Mrs. Farquhar and Bumiller beat Mrs. Scott and Townsend, 6-1, 6-1; Miss Hall and Gardner beat Miss Peralta and Gowan, 3-6, 6-4, 6-0; Mrs. Seymour and Foley beat Miss Young and Buttolph, by default; Miss Browne and Variel beat Miss Hutton and Cassell, 6-3, 8-6; Miss Seymour and Bell beat Miss Conger and Browne, 6-4, 6-2; Miss Sutton and Sinsabaugh beat Miss Dobbins and Wayne, 7-9, 6-3, 6-4.

Second Round: Mrs. Farquhar and Bumiller beat Miss Bundy and Bundy, 7-5, 6-4; Miss Hall and Gardner beat Mrs, Seymour and Foley, 7-5, 6-2; Miss Seymour and Bell beat Miss Browne and Variel, 6-4, 4-6, 6-2; Miss Sutton and Sinsabaugh beat Mrs. Bruce and Crawford, 6-4, 6-3.

Semi-final Round: Mrs. Farquhar and Bumiller beat Miss Hall and Gardner, 7-9, 6-1, 6-3; Miss Seymour and Bell beat Miss Sutton and Sinsabaugh, by default.

Final Round: Miss Seymour and Bell beat Mrs. Farquhar and Bumiller, 6-4, 3-6, 6-2.

OJAI TENNIS CLUB AND SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA INTERSCHOLASTIC CHAMPIONSHIP.

The eleventh annual spring tournament of the Ojai Valley Tennis Club, California, took place on Thursday, Friday and Saturday, April 5, 6. and 7, 1906. Besides the All-Comer's Championships in all events the eighth annual Southern California Interscholastic Champions were contested and 66 schools were invited to send representatives.

The total number of entries in all events was 123 and this is a record-breaking number. The tennis in the school events and especially in the ladies' contest was unusually good. The Finals in the Men's Doubles was the most exciting as the contestants were respectively among the best in Northern and Southern California. The Southerners won.

The evening entertainments were first a reception at the Ojai Club, the next evening a dance at the Foothills Hotel and the final evening there was a reception with dancing at the Thacher School.

The decorations of wild flowers on the grand stand and about the club house were as usual much admired. The successful completion of the different events was largely due to the Court Manager, Mr. H. Stanley Chase.

Scores:

Men's Singles.

Preliminary Round: Williams beat Dana, 6-0, 6-0; Young beat Smith, 6-0. 6-1; Gridley beat Bowles, by default; Gowan beat Lacy, 6-4, 6-3; Bolton beat Lawrence, 6-1, 6-0; Johnson beat Gardiner, by default; Galley beat Haley, 6-2. 6-1; Hammond beat Hayden, 6-0, 6-3: Henry beat Braley, by default; Cassell beat Galusha, 6-2, 8-6.

First Round: Williams beat Young, 6-4, 3-6, 6-4; Gowan beat Gridley, 6-3, 6-2; Keeney beat Bolton, 6-1, 6-3; Buttolph beat Snell, 6-3, 6-3; Leistekow beat Mace, 7-5, 6-3; A. McAndrew beat Gay, 6-1, 6-4; Gardner beat Sinsabaugh, 4-6, 6-3, 6-4; McBride beat G. Bliss, 6-3, 6-3; Warland beat P. Barker, 6-4, 6-1; Griffen beat A. Pierpont, 6-0, 6-1; Cawston beat B. Bliss ,by default; S. McAndrew beat Mackey, 6-3, 0-6, 6-2; Delano beat Colton, 6-3, 6-3; Johnron beat Ingham, 7-5, 6-3; Galley beat Hammond, 3-6, 7-5, 6-2; Henry beat Cassell, 6-3 6-8, 7-5.

Second Round: Williams beat Gowan, 6-3, 6-2; Keeney beat Buttolph, 7-9, 6-4, 7-5; Leistikow beat A. McAndrew, 6-1, 6-2; Gardner beat McBride, 6-3, 6-1; Griffen beat Warland, 8-6, 6-4; Cawston beat S. McAndrew, 2-6, 6-2, 6-3; Delano beat Johnson, 6-4, 6-4; Galley beat Henry, by default.

Third Round: Williams beat Keeney, 6-3, 6-2; Gardner beat Leistikow. 6-1, 6-1; Griffen beat Cawston, by default; Delano beat Galley, 6-3, 6-2.

Semi-Final Round: Gardner beat Williams, 6-3, 2-6, 6-0; Griffen beat Delano, 6-2, 6-2.

Final Round: Gardner beat Griffen, 6-4, 6-3.

Men's Doubles.

Preliminary Round: Lacy and Haley beat Tutt and Lawrence, 6-1, 1-6, 11-9; McAndrew brothers beat White and Whitall, 6-0, 6-2.

First Round: Lacy and Haley beat Carr and Bull, by default; Kelley and Galusha beat Hayden and Pratt, 6-0, 6-1; Gridley and Barrows beat Bowles and Gay, by default; Gardner and Griffen beat Miller and Wiman, 6-1, 6-1; Williams and Bolton beat Colton and Dana, 6-3, 4-6, 6-2; Warland and Sinsabaugh beat Allen and Starr,

by default; Gowan and Cassell beat Pierpont and McBride, 6-4, 6-3; McAndrew brothers beat Smith and Daniels, 9-7, 6-3.

Second Round: Lacy and Haley beat Kelley and Galusha, 6-0, 6-1; Gardner and Griffen beat Gridley and Barrows, 6-2, 6-1; Warland and Sinsabaugh beat Williams and Bolton, 6-1, 6-1; Gowan and Cassell beat McAndrew brothers, 6-1, 6-1.

Semi-final Round: Gardner and Griffen beat Lacy and Haley, 6-1, 6-3; Warland and Sinsabaugh beat Gowan and Cassell, 6-8, 6-1, 6-2.

Final Round: Warland and Sinsabaugh beat Gardner and Griffen, 6-2, 3-6, 7-5.

Interscholastic Doubles.

Preliminary Round: Canterbury and Lehman beat Suell and Flint, by default; Shively and Crane, beat , by default.

First Round: Canterbury and Lehman beat Shutt and Fogel, 6-3, 6-4; Cawston and Henry beat Lantz and Champion, 6-4, 6-3; Ingham and Lawrence beat Merrill and Gordan, by default; Ferguson and Candee beat , by default; Gardiner and Keyes beat Leistikow and Barker, 6-4, 3-6, 6-1; Gorham and Hammond, beat Mackey and Galley, 6-2, 6-3; Johnson and Little beat Young and partner, by default; Bliss and McLaury beat Shiveley and Crane, 6-1, 6-0.

Second Round: Cawston and Henry beat Canterbury and Lehman, 4-6, 6-1, 6-1; Ferguson and Candee beat Ingham and Lawrence, 6-4, 8-6; Gardiner and Keyes beat Gorham and Hammond, 6-2, 6-4; Johnson and Little beat Bliss and McLaury, 8-6, 7-9, 7-5.

Semi-final Round: Cawston and Henry beat Ferguson and Candee, 6-0, 5-7, 6-3; Gardiner and Keyes beat Johnson and Little, 6-4, 6-1.

Final Round: Gardiner and Keyes (Sandiego High School) beat Cawston and Henry, (Harvard School), 6-2, 6-2.

Interscholastic Singles.

Preliminary Round: Gorham beat Candee, 6-1, 6-0; Lantz beat Lawrence, 7-5, 4-6, 6-1; Galley beat Gordon, by default; Barker beat Crane, 6-2, 6-2.

First Round: Gorham beat Lantz, 6-0, 6-2; Ingham beat Mace, 6-4, 4-6, 8-6; Noble beat Champion, 6-1, 6-4; Henry beat Mackey, 7-5, 6-2; Gardiner beat Ferguson, 6-3, 6-1; Leistikow beat Shively, 6-1, 6-0; Bliss beat , by default; Johnson beat Lehman,

6-0, 6-1; Hyatt beat Flint, by default; Young beat Keyes, 6-2, 6-2; Little beat , by default; Keeney beat Shutt, 6-1, 6-2; McLaurie beat Canterbury, 6-3, 6-3; Snell beat Fogel, 6-2, 6-4; Cawston beat , by default; Barker beat Galley, 6-2, 3-6, 6-1.

Second Round: Gorham beat Ingham, 6-0, 6-2; Henry beat Noble, 6-1, 5-7, 6-3; Leistikow beat Gardiner, 6-4, 4-6, 7-5; Bliss beat Johnson, 8-6, 6-1; Young beat Hyatt, 6-1, 6-0; Keeney beat Little, 8-6, 7-5; McLaury beat Snell, 6-3, 7-5; Barker beat Cawston, 6-1, 3-6, 6-1.

Third Round: Gorham beat Henry, 1-6, 6-0, 9-7; Bliss beat Leistikow, 2-6, 6-2, 7-5; Young beat Keeney, 2-6, 6-1, 6-1; McLaury beat Barker, 6-8, 6-4, 6-2.

Semi-final Round: Gorham beat Bliss, 6-4, 6-4; Young beat McLaury, 5-7, 6-4, 6-0.

Final Round: Gorham (Los Angeles High School) beat Young (Monrovia High School,) 6-2, 9-7.

Ladies' Singles.

Won by Miss May Sutton.

Ladies' Doubles.

Final Round: Miss May Sutton and Miss Garland beat Mrs. Doeg and Miss Florence Sutton, by default.

Ladies' and Gentlemen's Doubles.

Preliminary Round: Miss May Sutton and Sinsabaugh beat Miss Baker and Williams, 6-2, 6-3.

Semi-final Round: Miss May Sutton and Sinsabaugh beat Miss Garland and Bolton, 6-3, 6-3; Miss F. Sutton and Thacher beat Mrs. Doeg and Gorham, 5-7, 6-3, 6-2.

Final Round: Miss May Sutton and Sinsabaugh beat *Mrs. Doeg and Thacher, 6-0, 1-6, 6-3.

* Took place of Miss Florence Sutton.

MISS LOIS WILKIE MOYES,
Canadian Lady Champion.

LAWN TENNIS IN CANADA.

THE CANADIAN CHAMPIONSHIP

THE annual tournament was held as usual on the courts of the Queens Royal, Niagara-on-the-Lake, during the week of July 9. The old-time enthusiasm was again displayed with many new faces among the entries. Ideal weather favored the tournament and it was a great success from every standpoint. The hospitality of Mr. Maxon, the new manager of the Queens, did a great deal toward the social success of the week which has made Old Niagara so famous with the lovers of lawn tennis.

Irving Wright easily worked his way through the upper half of the Open Singles and met E. P. Fischer, who was playing in grand form, in the Final the latter having beaten Burns of Toronto in a close three-set match in the Semi-Final. Wright succeeded in defeating Fischer thus capturing the Championship.

The Mens' Doubles furnished some very keenly contested matches. Fischer and Carroll had a great struggle with Reggio and Field and finally won, but Wright and Kirkover won from the former pair in a three-set match thus putting them in the Final against Burns and Glassco, the Canadian pair who made a great combination, their team play being responsible for their victory which was very popular with the crowd because it is the first Canadian team to win the Championship in ten years.

Miss Moyes, Toronto, succeeded in wresting the Canadian Championship from Miss Summerhayes after a very fine exhibition. Miss Moyes gives promise of playing a much stronger game after more experience in tournaments.

Ralph Burns, Toronto, succeeded in landing the handicap after many very hard contests. He defeated H. D. Kirkover, Buffalo, in the Final, owing him half a point.

Scores:

Men's Open Singles

Preliminary Round: Kirkover beat Locke, by default; E. C. Carroll beat Routh, by default.

First Round: Kiely beat Hart Jones, by default; Wright beat Glassco, 6-3, 6-4; Field beat Buell, 6-1, 6-1; Kirkover beat Goldy, 6-1, 6-3; Bryant beat E. C. Carroll, by default; Fischer beat Pratt, 7-5, 6-4; Burns beat D. E. S. Carroll, 6-3, 7-5; Reggio beat Cutter, 7-5, 6-3.

Second Round: Wright beat Kiley, 6-2, 6-3; Kirkover beat Field, 6-2, 6-4; Fischer beat Bryant, 6-4, 6-3; Burns beat Reggio, 4-6, 6-4, 7-5.

Semi-final Round: Wright beat Kirkover, 6-4, 6-1; Fischer beat Burns, 6-2, 6-1.

Final Round: I. C. Wright heat Fischer, 6-1, 6-3, 6-1.

Handicap Singles

Final Round: Burns beat Kirkover, 6-1, 6-0, 6-8, 6-4.

Men's Doubles

First Round: Fischer and Carroll beat Reggio and Field, 3-6, 7-5, 7-5; Wright and Kirkover beat Bryant and partner, by default; Burns and Glassco beat Pratt and Goldy, 6-4, 10-12.

Semi-final Round: Wright and Kirkover beat Fischer and Carroll, 6-3, 3-6, 6-3; Burns and Glassco beat Routh and Gurney, 6-2, 7-5.

Final Round: Burns and Glassco beat Wright and Kirkover, 6-1, 6-0, 10-8.

Ladies' Open Singles

Semi-final Round: Miss Cooke beat Miss Kent, 6-2, 6-0; Miss Moyes beat Miss Day, by default.

Final Round: Miss Moyes beat Miss Cooke, 6-4, 7-5.

Challenge Round: Miss Moyes beat Miss Summerhayes, 6-3, 6-3.

THE INTERNATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS

Niagara-on-the-Lake.

The twenty-second annual tournament was held on the regular date, Aug. 28 at the Queens Royal with a splendid entry list of evenly matched players which made everyone strive to win and from the unusual in-

terest exhibited by the spectators the tournament was certainly a great success. The rivalry grew as the tournament progressed, the friends of the players lining the banks in large numbers, showing great interest in the success of their favorites.

The tennis tournaments at Niagara are a signal for a good time and everyone starts in and no time is lost.

In the Open Singles, Johnson (Boston) succeeded in disposing of such players as Dewhurst (U. of P.), Boys, (Barrie) and others, then in the Final he met Burns (Toronto) who gave him the hardest struggle, in fact it was nip and tuck all along. Burns several times looked like the winner but was somewhat irregular, while Johnson was very steady at all stages. Johnson's condition after this match was such as to prevent him challenging Irving Wright, the holder, therefore the latter retained the cup by default.

Wild excitement prevailed when the Doubles commenced. Burns and Glassco in the Canadian Double Championship very nearly repeated their July performance. They met Wright and Johnson in the Semi-Final and after winning the first set showing a lead in the second, they slackened, and thereby lost their chance. Had they met Wright and Johnson in the Final it is quite likely they would have won the International Doubles also. However, Wright and Johnson were the successful pair and went into the Final against Dewhurst and Kirkover, and although Johnson was feeling the effects of his Singles against Burns, he played a steady game while Wright was brilliant throughout, and they succeeded in disposing of Dewhurst and Kirkover in three straight sets, the result being somewhat of a surprise to some.

In the Handicap some young players developed, namely Don Carroll (Buffalo) and McEachren (Toronto) both give promise of much improvement. W. A. Boys (Barrie) won many matches as did Kirkover (Buffalo). The two latter met in the Final and a battle royal was on they having met in the opens in which Boys was successful but in this event he owed Kirkover half fifteen and was unable to win against the latter's persistent and steady game.

Scores:

Men's Singles.

Preliminary Round: Moore beat Ward, by default; Routh beat Spaunes, by default; Kirkover beat LeRoy, by default; Boys beat Carroll, Jr., 6-3, 6-0; Hodge beat Foy. by default; Glassco beat Ross

by default; Carroll, Sr., beat Ayery, 6-3, 6-3; McEachren beat Jackson, 6-1, 6-2.

First Round: Johnson beat Schreiber, 6-0, 6-1; Dewhurst beat Bryant, 6-2, 6-3; Routh beat Moore, 6-2, 6-4; Boys beat Kirkover, 4-6, 6-3, 6-3; Hodge beat Glassco, by default; McEachren beat Carroll, Sr., by default; Burns beat Way, 6-3, 3-6, 6-4; Barnard beat Dingman, by default.

Second Round: Johnson beat Dewhurst, 0-6, 6-3, 6-3; Boys beat Routh, 6-4, 6-2; Hodge beat McEachren, 6-4, 7-5; Burns beat Barnard, 6-4, 7-5.

Semi-final Round: Johnson beat Boys, 6-3, 6-3; Burns beat Hodge, 9-7, 6-3.

Final Round; Johnson beat Burns, 6-3, 6-3, 1-6, 4-6, 6-4.

Challenge Round: I. C. Wright beat Johnson, by default.

Open Doubles.

First Round: Burns and Glassco beat Hodge and Bryant, 6-3, 6-4; Way and Moore beat Boys and Routh, by default.

Semi-final Round: Wright and Johnson beat Burns and Glassco, 5-7, 6-4, 6-4; Dewhurst and Kirkover beat Wat and Moore, 6-2, 6-1.

Final Round: Wright and Johnson beat Dewhurst and Kirkover, 6-2, 9-7, 6-1.

Men's Handicap.

Final Round: Kirkover beat Boys, 7-5, 6-4.

THE ONTARIO CHAMPIONSHIP TOURNAMENT.

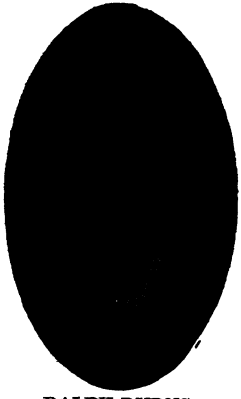
The Ontario Championship tennis tournament held the first week in September on the courts of the Toronto Tennis Club was one of the best ever held, both in number of entries and quality of play. After two years of tennis indifference Mr. Glassco again threw his heart into the game and played in his old-time form winning his way through the tournament both in Singles and Doubles in splendid style. He succeeded in defeating Mr. Baird, the one-time Scottish Champion after five stubbornly contested sets. The strain of the week's work was very trying and he lost the Challenge round to Mr. Burns who was fresh, but only after five long sets.

E. S. GLASSCO.
Part-Holder of Canadian and Ontario Doubles.

Miss Moyes, a promising young player of but two years' tennis experience, showed remarkable skill and won the Ontario Ladies' Championship Challenge Cup.

Men's Singles.

Preliminary Round: McMaster beat Martin, 7-5, 6-0, 6-0; Mossman beat Smith, 6-4, 7-5; O'Grady beat P. Kiely, 7-5, 6-4; Gurney beat Greentree, 2-6, 6-3, 7-5; Morrow beat McTavish, 7-5, 6-3; Glassco beat Blight, 6-3, 6-4; McLean beat Boultbee, by default; Procter beat Rowland, 6-2, 6-4.



RALPH BURNS,
Holder of Canadian Doubles and Ontario Challenge Cup.

First Round: Baird beat Dingman, 7-5, 6-3; Parton beat McEachren, 6-2, 8-6; Dockray beat Spanner, 6-4, 6-4; Boys beat Boulier, 6-4, 6-4; Locke beat Johnston, 4-6, 6-3, 7-5; Lyall beat Monro, 6-4, 2-6, 6-4; McMaster beat Mossman, 6-1, 6-2; Gurney beat O'Grady, 7-5, 4-6, 7-5; Glassco beat Morrow, 6-5, 6-4; McLean beat Procter, 6-3, 7-5; Routh beat Baines, 6-4, 5-7, 6-4; Witchell beat Kane, 7-5, 6-3; Stewart beat McIntosh, 6-2, 6-3; Ward beat Dunlop, 7-5, 6-4; Davidson beat C. Burns, 6-2, 6-2; Macdonell beat Chapman, 6-4, 6-1.

Second Round: Baird beat Parton, 6-4, 6-1; Boys beat Dockray, 6-1, 6-3; Lyall beat Locke, 6-1, 6-0; McMaster beat Gurney, 6-2, 6-2; Glassco beat McLean, 6-4, 6-3; Witchell beat Routh, by default; Stewart beat Ward, 6-2, 6-2; Macdonell beat Davidson, by default.

Third Round: Baird beat Boys, 6-4, 6-2; McMaster beat Lyall, 5-7, 6-2, 6-1; Glassco beat Witchell, 6-1, 6-1; Stewart beat Macdonell, 6-2, 6-3.

Semi-final Round: Baird beat McMaster, 6-4, 6-1; Glassco beat Stewart, 6-3, 7-5.

Final Round: Glassco beat Baird, 6-1, 5-7, 6-2, 3-6, 6-3.

Challenge Round: Ralph A. Burns, holder, beat Glassco, challenger, 3-6, 6-4, 6-4, 8-10, 7-5.

Men's Doubles.

First Round: Kiely and Routh beat Clarkson and McLeod, 6-3, 7-5; Ross and Wyer beat McEachren and Spanner, 7-5, 5-7, 6-3; Baird and Witchell beat Stewart and Chapman, 6-2, 9-7; Johnston and Greentree beat Dana and O'Grady, 6-8, 6-3, 6-4; Lyall and Boultbee beat Martin and Ward, 6-4, 6-3; Glassco beat Macdonell beat Gurney and Parton, 6-3, 6-3.

Second Round: Kiely and Routh beat P. Foxine and Anderson, 6-3, 6-0; Baird and Witchell beat Ross and Wyer, 6-2, 6-0; Lyall and Boultbee beat Johnston and Greentree, 7-5, 6-4; Glassco and Macdonell beat Mossman and Locke, 6-4, 6-4.

Semi-final Round: Baird and Witchell beat Kiely and Routh, 6-0, 6-2; Glassco and Macdonell beat Lyall and Boultbee, 6-4, 8-6.

Final Round: Glassco and Macdonell beat Baird and Witchell, 6-3, 6-3, 4-6, 6-2.

Challenge Round: Glassco and Macdonell, challengers, won from Burns and McMaster, holders, 2-6, 6-3, 6-4, 7-5.

Ladies' Open Singles.

First Round: Miss Hedley beat Miss Jones, 8-6, 6-1; Miss Cooke beat Mrs. Cooper, 6-3, 6-1; Miss Andras beat Miss Brodie, 6-3, 6-3; Miss Moyes beat Miss Summerhayes, 6-2, 6-1.

Semi-final Round: Miss Hedley beat Miss Cooke, 7-5, 6-3; Miss Moyes beat Miss Andras, 6-2, 6-2.

Final Round: Miss Moyes beat Miss Hedley, 6-3, 5-7, 6-3.

Miss Moyes wins Championship by default from Miss Hague of Montreal.

Junior Canadian Championship was won by Mr. McEachren.

PROVINCE OF QUEBEC LAWN TENNIS ASSOCIATION.

The eighth annual tournament of the Province of Quebec Lawn Tennis Association was held on the courts of the Cote St. Antoine Tennis Club, Montreal, beginning Monday July 30, 1906 and continuing on the following days. The standard of play and the number of entries showed a great improvement over former years, and interest was added

by the appearance of a number of fine players from England, one of whom, Mr. T. Y. Sherwell, captured the Open Championship of Canada from Mr. H. M. Suckling, who has held it for the last four years. Owing to the increased interest in the game, the present club will move this Spring into their new premises and will then have at their disposal twelve of the finest grass courts in the country.

The winners of the different events were: Open Championship, T. Y. Sherwell; Montreal cup, open to players resident in the Province of Quebec, H. M. Suckling; Open Handicap, J. A. Prevost; 2nd prize, Angus Cassils; Open Doubles Championship of Canada, A. C. Dunlop and T. Y. Sherwell; Intermediate Championship, A. S. Cassils; Mixed Doubles, Mrs. McCulloch and Mr. T. Y. Sherwell; Ladies Championship, Mrs. McCulloch.

NOVA SCOTIA LAWN TENNIS ASSOCIATION TOURNAMENT, 1906

The sixth annual tournament of the Nova Scotia Lawn Tennis Association was held at Amherst, N. S., on Aug. 6-10.

The association was very fortunate in having fine weather and the games were finished on scheduled time.

The various events were unusually well contested especially in the Ladies' Doubles and also in Mixed Doubles, and the prizes were better distributed among the several clubs taking part in the tournament, than in former years.

The people of Amherst with their well-known hospitality entertained the players and visitors in a very enjoyable manner, a delightful outing being on automobile drive to Tignish on the shores of the Northumberland Strait, a charming spot with the summer residences of the Amherst people.

There were 129 entries with about 60 players.

The following ladies and gentlemen were the winners of the different events:

Ladies' Singles.

Mrs. F. T. Handsombody, first, Wanderers. Miss E. Anderson, second, South End.

Doubles.

Misses Fraser and Grahame, first, New Glasgow. Misses Blair and Bigelow, second, Truro.

Mixed Doubles.

Mr. and Mrs. Handsombody, first, Wanderers. Mr. Jackson and Miss Fraser, second, New Glasgow.

Men's Singles.

Mr. J. Ritchie, first, Wanderers. Mr. W. I. Wood, second, Amherst.

Doubles.

Messrs J. and W. Ritchie, first, Wanderers. Messrs Burnham and Grant, second, New Glasgow.

There was a special silver trophy to be won three years, for the club winning the most number of points at each tournament, presented by M. S. Brown & Co. of Halifax, N. S.

This was won by the Wanderers Club of Halifax with the following team: Mrs. Handsombody and Miss Dimock, Mr. and Mrs. Handsombody, Messrs J. and W. Ritchie.

The next tournament will be held in Halifax on the grounds of the South End Club in August, 1908.

After this tournament was over as many of our winners and runners-up as could go went to Rothesay, N. B., to play their winners for the Championships of the Maritime Provinces, which is now intended to be an annual affair.

CHAMPIONSHIPS OF BRITISH COLUMBIA.

The annual open tournament of the Victoria Lawn Tennis Club was held on the clubs courts during the week commencing July 30. Report had it that several of our American friends were coming from across the line to endeavor to carry away some of the prizes emblematic of the Championships of British Columbia and in this we were not disappointed, Seattle sending worthy representatives in the persons of Joe Tyler, last year's Washington State Champion and Champion of the Mainland of B. C. Heath, Moore, W. H. Lewis, Miss Bertha Hill. Vancouver sent Miss King and Miss Hobson and Rev. S. Ryall was present from far away Manitoba. These and others helped to make the tournament of 1906 a far greater success than it had achieved for some years and to place this popular game on a very firm footing.

The Misses Ryan of California, two of the cleverest players Victorians have ever had the pleasure of watching, were present, too, and delighted everyone with their masterful performances. The club was again extremely fortunate in having lovely weather throughout the week and large crowds watched the play from day to day.

In the Men's Singles B. C. Schwengers of Victoria and Joe Tyler of Seattle fought their way through the different rounds and met each other in the Finals. A. T. Goward was one of Schwenger's victims he being beaten in an extremely hard, though only two set match by a score of 8-6, 8-6. Tyler finally won out though not until five sets had been played, Schwengers at one time leading by two sets to one, thus for the first time in many years, in fact ever since the organization of the club twenty years ago, the beautiful cup representing the Championship and bearing the names of such well-known players as J. F. Foulkes, R. B. Powell, A. T. Goward and others has left for other climes.

In the Ladies' Singles Miss A. Ryan won the Championship defeating her sister in the Semi-Finals and winning the Finals against Miss M. Pitts of Victoria, last years runner-up.

The Ladies' Doubles was won by the Misses Ryan who defeated Miss A. Bell and Miss P. Pooley in the Finals.

Probably it was in the Mixed Doubles that most interest centered there being more entries for this than for any other event. Joe Tyler of Seattle and Miss Alice Bell of Victoria proved to be the strongest pair and they had pitted against them in the Finals Miss M. Pitts and A. T. Goward of Victoria the latter pair having defeated in the Semi-Finals Miss E. Ryan and J. D. Hunter. Tyler and Miss Bell won the Finals rather easily.

In the Men's Doubles B. P. Schwengers and F. A. Macrae won the Championship winning from A. T. Goward and Joe Tyler in the Finals by three sets to one. It was the Semi-Final round of this event though which produced probably the best Double match seen on the local courts, when Schwengers and Macrae were pitted against last year's Champion team, R. H. Pooley and J. A. Rithet. This game took all afternoon and though Pooley and Rithet required one point to win the match seven times Schwengers and Macrae finally pulled it off. Score, 8-6, 6-8, 10-8.

Miss E. Ryan and F. B. Pemberton won the club handicap mixed. Major Williams won the Men's Handicap Singles and Miss P. Pooley and Miss E. Ryan won the Ladies' Handicap Doubles.

The visitors were entertained during their stay to a beach and launch party which proved a most delightful affair and many other little entertainments were given in their honor during the week.

The prizes were presented on Saturday afternoon at the conclusion of the day's play by Mrs. James Dunsmuir, wife of the lieutenant-governor of British Columbia and thus a most enjoyable week was all too soon brought to a close.

THE MAINLAND OF BRITISH COLUMBIA.

The annual Open and Handicap tournament of the Vancouver Lawn Tennis Club took place on the club's grounds the week commencing Aug. 13. With the exception of one day early in the week the weather was all that could be desired and the seven grass courts never looked better. A large amount of interest is always taken in this tournament which was evidenced by the number of entries which, in the two events, aggregated over two hundred and fifty, some fifty in excess of the previous year. On the final day between five and six hundred spectators witnessed the matches. The following were the results of the Finals in the open events:

Men's Singles.

B. P. Schwengers beat Major Williams.

Ladies' Singles.

Miss E. Ryan beat Miss King.

Men's Doubles.

B. P. Schwengers and F. A. Macrae beat J. D. Hunter and W. E. Burns.

Ladies' Doubles.

Miss Pooley and Miss E. Ryan beat Miss King and Miss Hobson.

Mixed Doubles.

J. D. Hunter and Miss E. Ryan beat Major Williams and Miss Pooley.

NATIONAL INDOOR LAWN TENNIS CHAMPIONSHIPS OF THE UNITED STATES.

THE eighth annual indoor lawn tennis Championships of the United States held by the Seventh Regiment Tennis Club in the 7th Regiment Armory, 66th St. and Park Ave., New York City, Feb. 18 to 23 was by far the most successful held since its inauguration in 1900, not only on account of the large entry lists, but the standards and quality of play were of the best. The fashionable and distinguished gathering that thronged the courts each afternoon and morning were a fitting testimony and tribute to the untiring efforts of the committee, W. B. Cragin, Jr., chairman and referee King Smith and E. P. Grosvenor to make the tournament a success.

With an entry list of forty in Singles, sixteen more than ever before, sixteen teams in Doubles, two in excess of the previous record, and eleven entries in Women's Singles, an additional event added for the first time to annual indoor Championships. There were an unusual number of defaults owing to the fact that the committee notified contestants that if not on hand when match was called, they would be defaulted, but this was only another proof of how promptly, correctly and without a hitch this large list was narrowed down, so that the Final match was decided within the week, an occurrence unusual, as in former years with twenty-five entries or less, it had gone into the next week. The playing of Theodore Roosevelt Pell in the Singles showed to the onlookers, of whom many were ranked players outdoors, that the heretofore opinion that the wonderful serving of W. C. Grant the three times Champion could not be overcome, had exploded; as in the Final Challenge round Pell at times drove the terrific service of Grant back across the net like a rifle shot, and in two of the five-sets Grant won but a single service. At times when Pell weakened, Grant showed to good advantage, but Pell was the more brilliant in his play, and his cross court shots were marvelous. In the first set Grant outplayed Pell chiefly because of Pell's nervousness, but in the

second set the case was reversed and in the third set Pell had everything his own way, only to pitifully weaken in the fourth set, when he won but one game. The fact that he had broken a few strings in his racket seemed to upset him. In the last set, however, with another racket, he fairly swamped Grant, and his back-hand driving was much applauded by the assemblage, which was large. Pell finally won 3-6, 6-3, 6-2, 1-6, 6-0.

In the Doubles Hackett and Alexander duplicated their feat of last year, that of winning the Championship without losing a set, and this year with only two deuce sets. One 9-7 they won from T. R. Pell and E. F. Fischer after Pell and Fischer twice when the score was 7-6 in their favor, came within a point of the set. The other set was 7-5 which they won from Grant and Westfall after the latter had led at 3-1.

The Women's Singles was the extra feature and was a great success, the former outdoor Champion, Miss Elizabeth Moore, winning from Miss Marie Wagner in the Finals in a three-set match.

Scores:

Championship Singles.

Preliminary Round: A. S. Cragin (7th Regiment T. C.) beat J. B. Close (E. T. & C. C.), by default; H. McK. Glazebrook (Elizabeth T. & C. C.) beat R. L. James (Belmont C. C.), 5-7, 6-3, 6-1; M. S. Clark (7th Regiment T. C.) beat Floyd Smith (7th Regiment T. C.), 6-2, 6-1; R. T. Bryan (7th Regiment T. C.) beat E. P. Grosvenor (7th Regiment T. C.), by default; Wm. Rosenbaum (Harlem T. C.) beat Richard Bishop (Longwood T. C. Boston), by default; T. R. Pell (N. Y. L. C.) beat G. C. Shafer (Westside T. C), 6-0, 6-1; O. M. Bostwick (West Side T. C.) beat Calhoun Cragin (7th Regiment T. C.), by default; W. B. Cragin, Jr. (7th Regiment T. C.) beat H. L. Westfall, (Kings County T. C.), 4-6, 6-2, 6-1.

First Round: Grant Burns (West Side T. C.) beat C. S. Rathburn (7th Regiment T. C.), by default; M. S. Charlock (Elizabeth T. & C. C.) beat R. G. Jones (Belmont C. C.), by default; Harold Moore (7th Regiment T. C.) beat T. R. Osborne (Moyamusing T. C.), by default; W. C. Grant (N. Y. T. C.) beat N. G. Johnson, by default; A. L. Hoskins (Belmont C. C.) beat A. J. Delmar (Sewanoy T. C.), 6-4, 3-6, 6-3; H. D. Montgomery (Senoway T. C.) beat J. M. Stinecker (Hamilton G. T. C.), 8-6, 6-4; P. B. Hawk (Moyamusing T. C.) beat King Smith (7th Regiment T. C.), by default; W. C. deMille (West Side

THEODORE ROOSEVELT PELL,
National Indoor Champion.

T. C.) beat W. M. Hall (7th Regiment T. C.), 6-1, 6-2; Geo. Fouchard (Harlem T. C.) beat R. A. Weeks (Elizabeth T. & C. C.), by default; L. H. Fitch (7th Regiment T. C.) beat Walter Chase (Harlem T. C.), 7-5, 6-3; G. L. Wyeth (N. Y. T. C.) beat G. A. L. Dionne (West Side T. C.), 6-3, 6-3; T. Caffrey (Harlem T. C.) beat E. P. Fischer (West Side T. C.), by default; H. McK. Glazebrook (E. T. & C. C.) beat A. S. Cragin (7th Regiment T. C.), by default; M. S. Clark (7th Regiment T. C.) beat R. T. Bryan (7th Regiment T. C.), 7-5, 9-7; T. R. Pell (N. Y. T. C.) beat Wm. Rosenbaum (Harlem T. C.), 6-1, 6-1; W. B. Cragin, Jr., (7th Regiment T. C.) beat O. M. Bostwick (West Side T. C.), 6-3, 10-8.

Second Round: Grant Burns beat M. S. Charlock, 8-6, 6-3; W. C. Grant beat Harold Moore, 6-0, 6-1; H. D. Montgomery beat A. L. Hoskins, 6-2, 6-3; M. S. Clark beat H. McK. Glazebrook, 6-2, 6-3; T. R. Pell beat W. B. Cragin, Jr., 6-4, 6-4; W. C. deMille beat P. B. Hawk, by default; Geo. Fouchard beat L. H. Fitch, 6-0, 6-1; G. L. Wyeth beat T. Caffrey, 7-5, 5-7, 6-3.

Third Round: W. C. Grant beat Grant Burns, 6-3, 6-1; M. S. Clark beat H. D. Montgomery, 5-7, 6-1, 6-4; T. R. Pell beat W. C. deMille, 6-1, 6-3; G. L. Wyeth beat Geo. Fouchard, 6-4, 4-6, 7-5.

Semi-final Round: W. C. Grant beat M. S. Clark, 6-2, 10-8; T. R. Pell beat G. L. Wyeth, 6-0, 6-1.

Final and Championship Round: T. R. Pell beat W. C. Grant, 3-6, 6-3, 6-2, 1-6, 6-0.

Consolations

Final Round: R. T. Bryan beat J. M. Stinecker, 6-2, 6-3.

Women's Championship.

First Round: Miss Edna Wildey beat Miss A. L. Fish, 6-2, 6-3; Miss Marie Wagner beat Miss Laura Fischer, 6-2, 6-1; Miss Louise Hammond beat Miss Freda Meyer, 6-0, 6-4.

Second Round: Miss Elsie Little beat Miss Helen Homans, by default; Miss Marie Wagner beat Miss Edna Wildey, 6-3, 6-3; Miss Louise Hammond beat Miss F. M. Fish, 8-6, 6-2; Miss Elizabeth H. Moore beat Miss Clara Kuttroff, 6-4, 6-3.

Semi-final Round: Miss Marie Wagner beat Miss Elsie Little, 6-2, 6-3; Miss Elizabeth H. Moore beat Miss Louise Hammond, 6-1, 6-3.

Final and Championship Round: Miss Elizabeth H. Moore beat Miss Marie Wagner, 6-2, 4-6, 6-2.

Doubles Championship.

First Round: Glazebrook and Charlock beat Hoskins and James, by default; Fischer and Pell beat Close and Weeks, by default; Moore and Stinecker beat Jones and Hawk, by default; Alexander and Hackett beat Fitch and Smith, 6-0, 6-2; Grant and Westfall beat Rosenbaum and Fouchard, 6-4, 9-7; Bryan and Clark beat Wyeth and partner, by default; Bostwick and deMille beat Schafer and Burns, 9-7, 8-6; W. B. Cragin, Jr., and A. S. Cragin beat Chase and Caffrey, 6-1, 6-4.

Second Round: Fischer and Pell beat Glazebrook and Charlock, 6-4, 6-0; Alexander and Hackett beat Moore and Stinecker, by default; Grant and Westfall beat Bryan and Clark, 6-2, 6-1; Bostwick and de Mille beat Cragin and Cragin, by default.

Semi-final Round: Alexander and Hackett beat Fischer and Pell, 9-7, 6-1; Grant and Westfall beat Bostwick and deMille, 6-3, 6-1.

Final and Championship Round: Alexander and Hackett beat Grant and Westfall, 7-5, 6-1, 6-0.

Page 79 of the Guide will give winners of Indoor Championships.

MISS D. K. DOUGLASS,
England's Lady Champion.

Miss D. K. Douglass the Champion of England is no doubt the best lady player in England today, she came by the honor she now holds in the Lawn Tennis World by defeating all of the strongest players.

She is a fine player in all departments of the game, her strokes have force and are very accurate with strong fore and back hand. Her style of play is quite similar to that of the Messrs Doherty.

ENGLISH CHAMPIONSHIPS 1877 TO DATE.

The following is the list of the holders of the English Championship:

1877—S. W. Gore
1878—P. F. Hadow
1879—J. T. Hartley
1880—J. T. Hartley
1881—W. Renshaw
1882—W. Renshaw
1883—W. Renshaw
1884—W. Renshaw
1885—W. Renshaw
1886—W. Renshaw
1887—H. F. Lawford
1888—E. Renshaw
1889—W. Renshaw
1890—W. J. Hamilton
1891—W. Baddeley
1892—W. Baddeley
1893—J. Pim
1894—J. Pim
1895—W. Baddeley
1896—H. S. Mahony
1897—R. F. Doherty
1898—R. F. Doherty
1899—R. F. Doherty
1900—R. F. Doherty
1901—A. W. Gore
1902—H. L. Doherty
1903—H. L. Doherty
1904—H. L. Doherty
1905—H. L. Doherty
1906—H. L. Doherty

Winners of Covered Court Championship: 1885 to Date

1885—H. F. Lawford
1886—E. L. Williams
1887—E. W. Lewis
1888—E. W. Lewis
1889—E. W. Lewis
1890—E. W. Lewis
1891—E. W. Lewis
1892—E. G. Meers
1893—H. S. Mahony
1894—H. S. Mahony
1895—E. W. Lewis
1896—E. W. Lewis
1897—W. V. Eaves
1898—W. V. Eaves
1899—W. V. Eaves
1900—A. W. Gore
1901—H. L. Doherty
1902—H. L. Doherty
1903—H. L. Doherty
1904—H. L. Doherty
1905—H. L. Doherty
1906—H. L. Doherty

LAWN TENNIS NOTES.

There is to be published a Lawn Tennis paper named "American Lawn Tennis" which has been made the Official Organ of the United States National Lawn Tennis Association. The first copy will be published April 15th.

The editor intends to publish an attractive and newsy paper containing accounts of tournaments and tennis news of interest throughout the country. To make the paper a success it must receive the support of Lawn Tennis Clubs and Players. Notice inside front cover of Guide.

Lawn Tennis at Buffalo, N. Y., during the season of 1906 was quite lively especially on the courts of the Park Club and promises to be more so the season of 1907. The following were the winners in the different events· Championship of Buffalo held in June. Open Singles and Challenge Bowl, Harry D. Kirkover, he defeating Stevenson, Hodge Bissell and Wagner. Championship of Western New York held in September. Open Doubles—Bissell and McLaughlin. Open Singles —Howard Bissell, he defeating Wright, McLaughlin, Wagner and Hodge, in the order named.

The Jamestown Exposition Lawn Tennis open tournament which is to take place Sept. 16th and following days promises to be quite an event in the way of Lawn Tennis. There will be Singles, Doubles, and Exposition Doubles.

The committee are Beals C. Wright, Boston; L. D. Scott, Atlanta, Ga., and W. C. Dickson, Norfolk, Va. Entries should be sent to J. J. Ryan, Norfolk, Va., on or before Sept. 14th.

Australasia has sent their official challenge to the Hon. Secretary of the L. T. A. for the International Davis Cup Match and the promise is they will be represented by a very strong team in Messrs Brooks, Wilding and Sharp the two former players have greatly improved while the latter is also a fine player.

The Canadian Lawn Tennis Association has decided to hold the Canadian Championships in conjunction with the International Championships during the week of August 26th. This will do away with the holding of two tournaments thus facilitating matters and assuring a real good entry list for the one tournament. It has also been decided to have the Canadian Championship for Canadian players only, while the International will be open to all comers. An inter-city match is being arranged between Toronto, Buffalo, Rochester and Syracuse players. This event will take place July 3 and following days instead of the Canadian Championships at the Queen's Royal Hotel.

For the Indoor National Lawn Tennis Championship there was put up for competition a valuable sterling Silver Cup, emblematic of the Natoinal Championship of the United States in Men's Singles to be known as the "7th Regiment Cup." The cup to be won three times, not necessarily in succession, and the holder of the cup is required to play through the tournament each year. It was won for the first time by Theodore R. Pell.

The annual Middle West tournament played on the courts of the Omaha Field Club is one of the events West during the lawn tennis season. The entry list is always a large one bringing together the best players in that section of the country; which results in many well-played matches both in Singles and Doubles particularly in the Finals and Championship when the strongest players meet which causes a general interest and brings to the club courts large crowds to witness the contests who show a great interest in the events.

During the week of the tournament the committee in charge do everything to make it pleasant for the visiting players with dinner parties, and automobile rides, ending up the weeks' pleasures with presentation of prizes, a banquet and dance.

The lawn tennis players of the Coast showed true sporting blood and a love for the game to get together after the great calamity that overtook their city (San Francisco) and hold their Pacific Coast and State Championships. Good results will come from such good work. The Coast has many promising young players, both the tournaments mentioned being won by players under twenty.

HOW TO MAKE A LAWN TENNIS COURT

In making a Lawn Tennis Court there should be, if possible, a clear margin of a least 12 feet on each side and 21 feet at each end of the court, or, between adjacent courts, 18 feet on each side; but should the courts be placed end to end, or end to side, there should be spaces of 42 feet or 33 feet respectively, and a back-net at least 8 feet high between.

The cheapest and most easy court to make is a

CLAY COURT.

It is done by removing the sward from the lawn, taking care that the same is cut deep enough not to allow any of the grass roots to remain; there should be a space dug out 40 foot wide by 82 in length and from 6 to 10 inches deep to be filled with an equal number of loads of clay and sifted sand mixed until they bind. Roll well with a hand roller, sprinkling water over the surface during the rolling. A good wetting down to last over night is beneficial to a clay court. Use great care to get out all stones to the size of a pea.

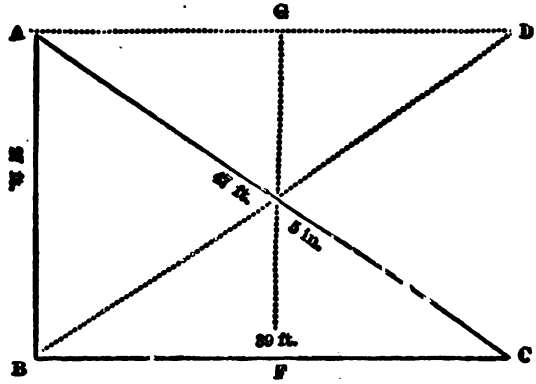
GRASS COURTS.

These can be made in three ways: namely, first, by improving an existing stretch of turf until it is level and smooth enough; second, by leveling the ground,

preparing the soil, and sowing grass seeds; and third, by laying fresh turf. Of these the former is of course the simplest; but as the requisite piece of grass land is rarely available, particulars for preparing it are seldom required. In improving such a piece of turf care should be taken to remove all weeds or coarse grasses, and to freely use the spirit-level. To raise hollow places the turf should be cut out, lifted, and fine soil placed underneath until the proper height has been obtained, when the turf should be replaced and well beaten down with the flat side of a spade. On the other hand, small mounds should be removed by taking the soil away from under the grass, some fine mould being placed underneath the turf before it is replaced. To prepare a court for sowing seeds the same instructions may be followed as for making a turf-laid one, except that the seed will be sown instead of the turfs laid. Take care that the seed is good by purchasing from a first-class seedsman, and, when ordering, it will be well to state what sort of soil is to be sown. By far the larger number of courts are made by laying fresh turfs.

When preparing the ground for a court, it is desired to level a portion measuring 100 x 50 feet, which allows an ample margin; but for the playing portion itself only 78 x 36 feet is necessary. If economy must be strictly considered only the latter need be carefully prepared, but it is better to have the whole done if possible.

HOW TO MARK OUT A COURT



As a double court practically includes every line to be found in a single court, it is best to take first the measure for the latter. Having determined the position of your net, plant in the ground, in the line chosen, two pegs, 27 feet apart (at the points A and B in the diagram). Then take two measures and attach their respective ends to the pegs A and B. On the first, which will measure the diagonal of the court, take a length of 47 ft. 5 in.; on the other 39 ft.; pull both taut in such directions that at these distances they meet in a point C. This will give one corner of the court. At that point F, 21 feet from B, put in a

peg to mark the end of the service-line. The other corner, D, and the other end of the service-line G, may be found by interchanging the measures and repeating the process. The same measurements on the other side of the net will complete the exterior boundaries of the court. By prolonging the base-line 4 ft. 6 in. in each direction, and joining the four new points thus obtained, we can make the side-lines of a double court. It only remains to mark the central line. This is done by joining the middle points of the service-lines. If a double court alone be required, the interior side-lines need not be prolonged to meet the base-lines. Remember that in all cases the net-posts must stand at a distance of three feet from the side-lines.

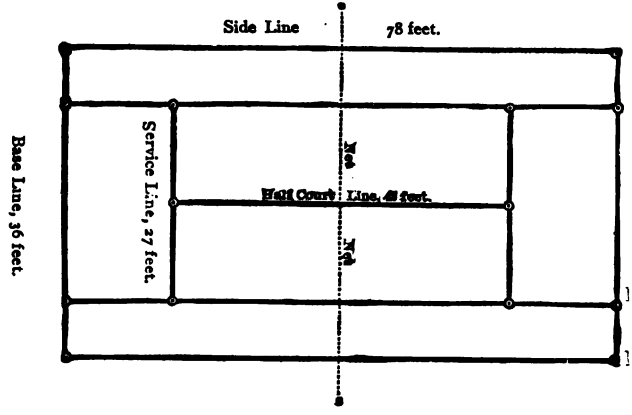


DIAGRAM OF SINGLE AND DOUBLE COURT.

For a court where a single or double game can be played, the size is 78 feet in length by 36 in width, 4½ feet inside the side lines, and parallel with them are drawn the service lines. See diagram above.

FIXTURES FOR 1907.

May 3—University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, Pa., University of Pennsylvania Interscholastic Championship.

May 4—Harvard University, Cambridge, Mass., Harvard Interscholastic Championship.

May 4—Columbia University, New York City, Columbia Interscholastic Championship.

May 11—Princeton University, Princeton, N. J., Princeton Interscholastic Championship.

May 18—Yale University, New Haven. Conn., Yale Interscholastic Championship.

May 18—Bowdoin College, Brunswick, Me., Bowdoin Interscholastic Championship.

May 20—Kings County Tennis Club, Long Island Championship, open.

May 20—Hermitage Golf Club, Richmond, Va., Old Dominion Championship.

May 25—New York Lawn Tennis Club, New York City, Manhattan Doubles, Open Singles.

May 27—Trenton Country Club, Trenton, N. J., Central Jersey Championship.

May 27—New Orleans Lawn Tennis Club, Gulf States Championship.

May 27—Bachelors' Lawn Tennis Club, Washington D. C. Middle Atlantic States Chamyionship.

May 27—Longwood Cricket Club, Boston, Mass., New England Intercollegiate.

May 30—Brae-Burn Country Club, West Newton, Massachusetts State Championship Doubles.

June 3—Merion Cricket Club, Philadelphia, Pa., Lady's Championship of Pennsylvania and Eastern States.

June 3—West Side Tennis Club, New York City, Metropolitan Championship.

June 3—Catonsville Country Club, Baltimore, Md., Maryland State Championship.

June 10—Merion Cricket Club, Philadelphia, Pa., Pennsylvania State Championship for Men.
June 10—Amakassin Country Club, Yonkers, N. Y., Open Tournament.
June 10—Norfolk Country Club, Norfolk, Va., Virginia State Championship.
June 11—Hartford Golf Club, Hartford, Conn., Championship of New England.
June 13-15—Rockaway Hunting Club, Invitation Doubles.
June 14—Longwood Cricket Club, Boston, Massachusetts State Championship Singles.
June 17—Baltimore Country Club, Invitation Tournament.
June 17—New Haven Lawn Club, New Haven, Conn., Open Tournament.
June 17—Dunwoodie C. C., Invitation Tournament.
June 17—Crescent A. C., Invitation Tournament.
June 24—Nashville Tennis Club, Tennessee State Championship.
June 24—Siwancy Tennis Club, New Rochelle, N. Y., open.
June 25—Morris County Club, Morristown, N. J., Invitation.
June 25—Philadelphia Cricket Club, Wissahickon Heights, Philadelphia, National Championships for Women's Singles, Doubles and Mixed Doubles.
June 26—Intermountain L. T. Association, Salt Lake City, Championship of Utah.
June 29—Pacific States L. T. Association, San Rafael, Cal., California State Championship, Men's and Women's Singles.
June 29—St. Louis Amateur Athletic Club, St. Louis, Mo., Missouri State Championship.
July 1—Orange L. T. Club, Orange, N. Y., Middle States Championship.
July 2—Atlanta Athletic Club, Atlanta, Ga., Southern Championship.
July 6—Woodlawn Tennis Club, Chicago, Ill., open tournament.
July 6—Pittsburg Golf Club, Western Pennsylvania Championship in Singles.
July 8—New York Athletic Club, Travers Island, New York State Championship.
July 8—Westchester Country Club, Invitation Doubles.
July 8—Log Cabin Club, Macon, Ga., Georgia State Championship.
July 9—Country Club of Springfield, Mass., Open Tournament.

July 13—Aztec Club, Chicago, Ill., Illinois State Championship.
July 15—Excelsior Tennis Club, Bristol, R. I., Bristol County Championship.
July 15—Litchfield Club, Litchfield, Connecticut State Championship.
July 15—Englewood Field Club, Englewood, N. J., Open.
July 15—Seabright L. T. and C. Club, Seabright, N. J., Invitation.
July 15—Country Club of Augusta, Ga., South Atlantic States Championship.
July 20—Wanderers Cricket and Athletic Club, Chicago, Ill., Open Tournament.
July 22—Longwood Cricket Club, Boston, Mass., Eastern Doubles Championship and Seventeenth Annual Longwood Singles.
July 27—Chicago, Ill., Western Championship. Doubles, Western Singles for Men and Women.
July 29—Ridgewood Golf Club, Ridgewood, N. J., Open Tournament.
July 30—Nahant Club, Nahant, Mass., Invitation Tournament.
July 30—Oregon State Championship, Multnomah Amateur Athletic Club.
July 30—Newcastle Outing and Tennis Club, Open Tournament, Courts of the Wentworth, Newcastle, New Hampshire.
August 5—Crawford House Tennis Club, White Mountain Championship.
August 5—Bedford Springs, Pa., Tennis Club, Championship of Southern Pennsylvania.
August 5—Iowa State Championship, Hyperion Club, Des Moines.
August 5—Tacoma Lawn Tennis Club, Tacoma, Wash., Pacific Northwest Championship, Sixteenth Annual.
August 5—Detroit Athletic Club, Michigan State Championship.
August 6—Minnetonka Club, Lake Minnetonka, Minn., Northwestern Championship.
August 6—Norfolk Tennis Club, Norfolk, Conn.
August 12—Grand Forks Town and Country Club, North Dakota. Championship of Red River Valley and of North Dakota.
August 12—Sioux City Tennis Club, Championship of Iowa, Nebraska, and Kansas.
August 12—Meadow Club, Southampton, L. I., Invitation Tournament.

August 13—Old Pine Golf Club, St. Johnsbury, Vt., Vermont State Championship, open.

August 15-17—Crescent A. C., East, West and South Doubles.

August 19—Omaha Field Club, Omaha, Neb., Championship of the Middle West.

August 19—East End Club, Cleveland, Ohio, Ohio State Championship.

August 20—U. S. N. L. T. A., Newport, R. I., National Championship in Singles, Championship Doubles and Interscholastic Singles Championship.

August 24—Intermountain L. T. Association, Salt Lake City, Utah, Inter-Mountain Championship, Singles and Doubles for Men and Women.

August 26—Niagara L. T. C., International and Canadian Championship, held at same time, Niagara-on-the-Lake, Canada. See Lawn Tennis Notes in Guide.

August 27—East Jersey L. T. Association, Open Tournament at Elizabeth Town and Country Club, Elizabeth, N. J.

August 31—Ohio L. T. Association, Cincinnati, Ohio, Tri-State Championship (Ohio, Indiana and Kentucky.)

August 31—Agawam Hunt, Providence, Rhode Island State Championship.

September 2—Pacific States L. T. Association, San Rafael, Cal., Pacific States Championships, Men's and Women's Singles and Doubles and Mixed Doubles.

September 2—Nyack Country Club, Nyack, N. Y., Open Tournament.

September 2—Sagamore Tennis Club, Lake George Championships.

September 9—Hudson River L. T. Association, Hudson River Championship.

September 9—Catonsville Country Club, Baltimore, Md., Open Tournament. Challenge Cup.

September 16—Morristown Field Club, New Jersey State Championship.

September 16—Jamestown, Va. Exposition Championship, Open Singles and Doubles.

September 23—Bachelors' L. T. Club, Washington, District of Columbia Championship.

October 1—Longwood Cricket Club, Boston, Mass., Women's Singles, Doubles and Mixed Doubles.

October 2—Merion Cricket Club, Philadelphia, Pa., Intercollegiate Championship.

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February 22—Seventh Regiment L. T. Club, New York City, Indoor Championship.

OTHER TOURNAMENTS.

April 25, 26, and 27—Ojai Valley Tennis Club, Open Championship, Nordhoff. Southern California.

June 24—All England Championship at Wimbledon, Eng.

August 26—Canadian Championship for Canadian players only, same week as the International on court Queens Royal Hotel (see Lawn Tennis Notes.)

August—British Columbia Championship, Victoria, B. C.

INTERNATIONAL MATCHES.

At Wimbledon, England.

July 13, 15, 16.—Preliminary Contest. United States vs. Australasia.

July 20, 22, 23.—Challenge Contest. Winner United States vs. Australasia vs. Great Britain, Holder.

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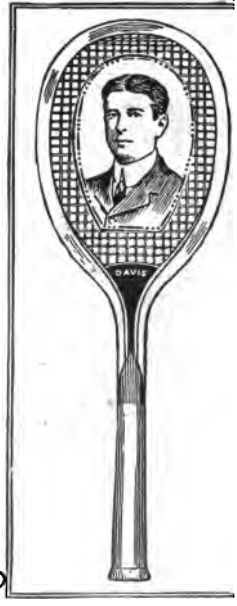

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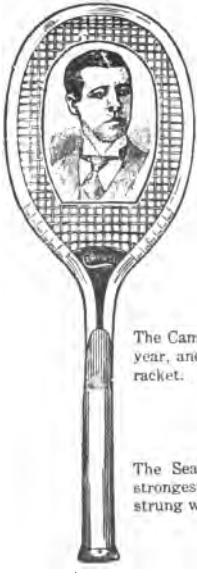

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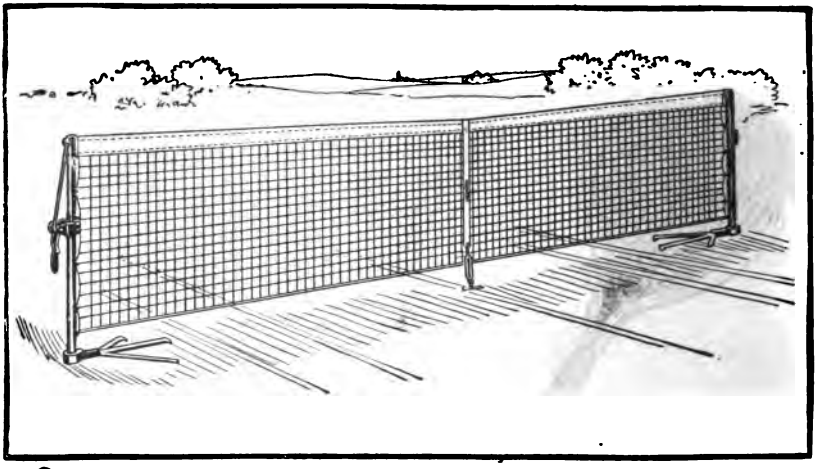

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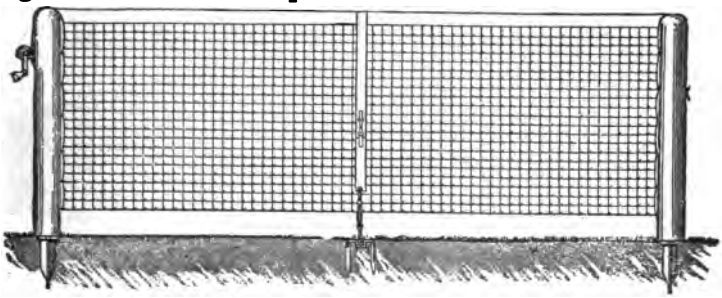

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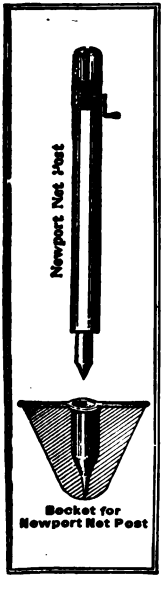

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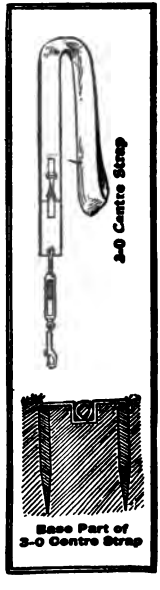

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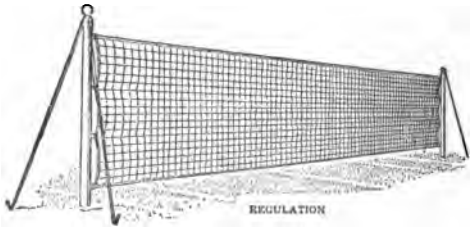
WRIGHT & DITSON LAWN TENNIS NETS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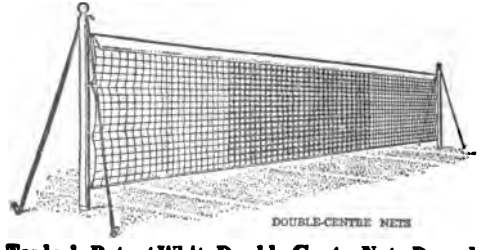
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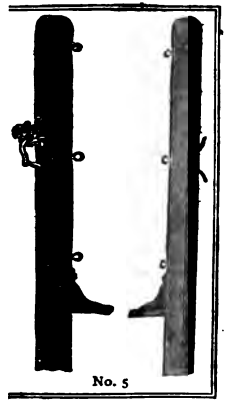

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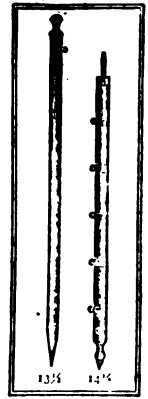

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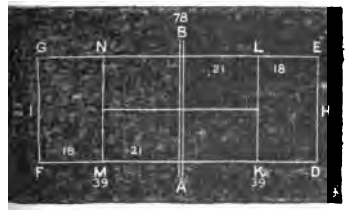
How to Lay Out a Tennis Court with Marking Tapes



THIS illustration shows single court. To make a double court, run parallel line 4½ feet distant from line G to E, and from F to D, and extend base lines H and I to same. The court is 78 feet long and 27 feet wide. It is divided across the middle by a net, the ends of which are attached to two posts, A and B, standing three feet outside of the court on either side. The height of the net is three feet 6 inches at the posts and three feet in the middle. At each end of the court, parallel with the net, and 39 feet from it, are drawn the base lines, D E and F G, the ends of which are connected by the side lines, D F and E G. Half way between the side lines and parallel with them, is drawn the half court line I H, dividing the space on either side of the net into two equal parts, the right and left courts. On each side of the net, at a distance of twenty-one feet from it, and parallel with it, are drawn the service lines, K L and M N.

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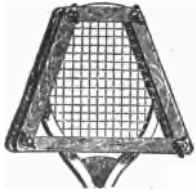

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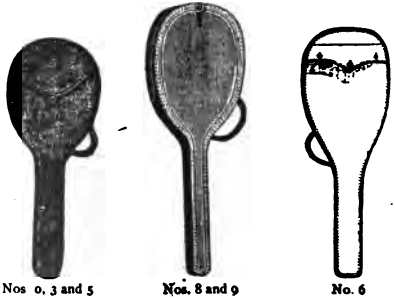

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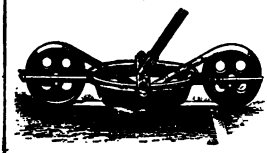

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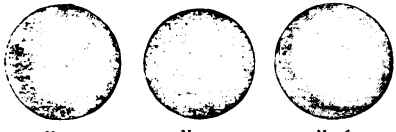

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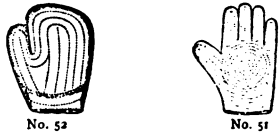

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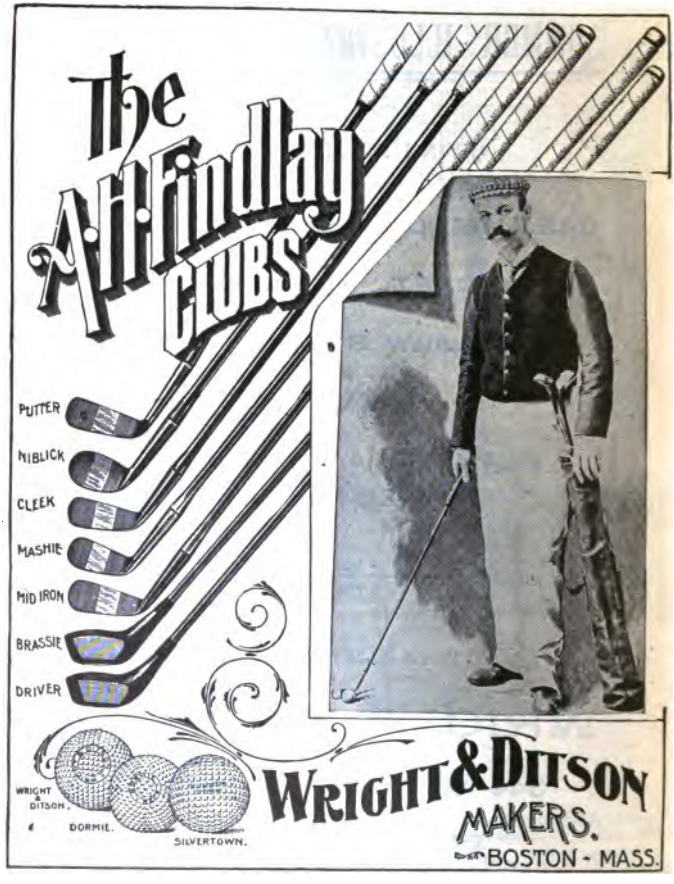
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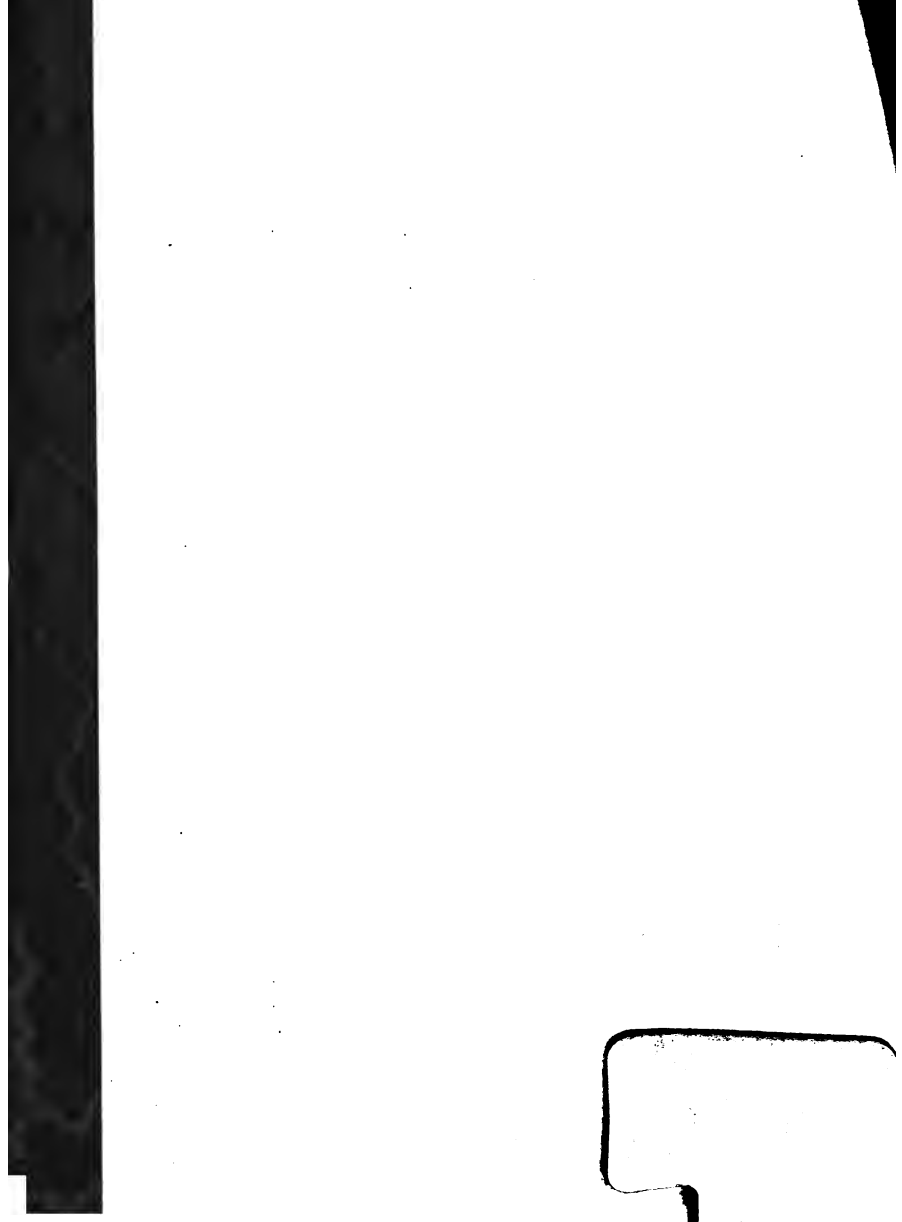
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